



Energy as a Global Issue

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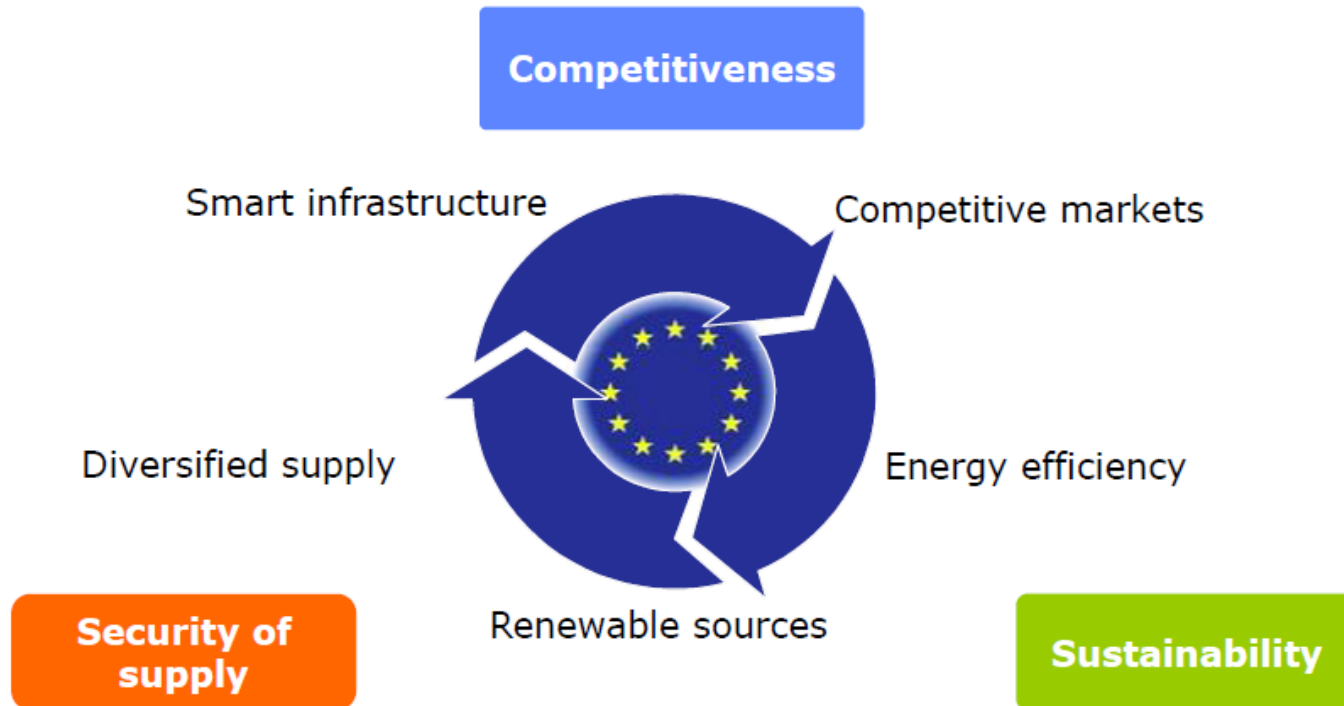
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The key strategic framework



A "no regrets" scenario for Europe

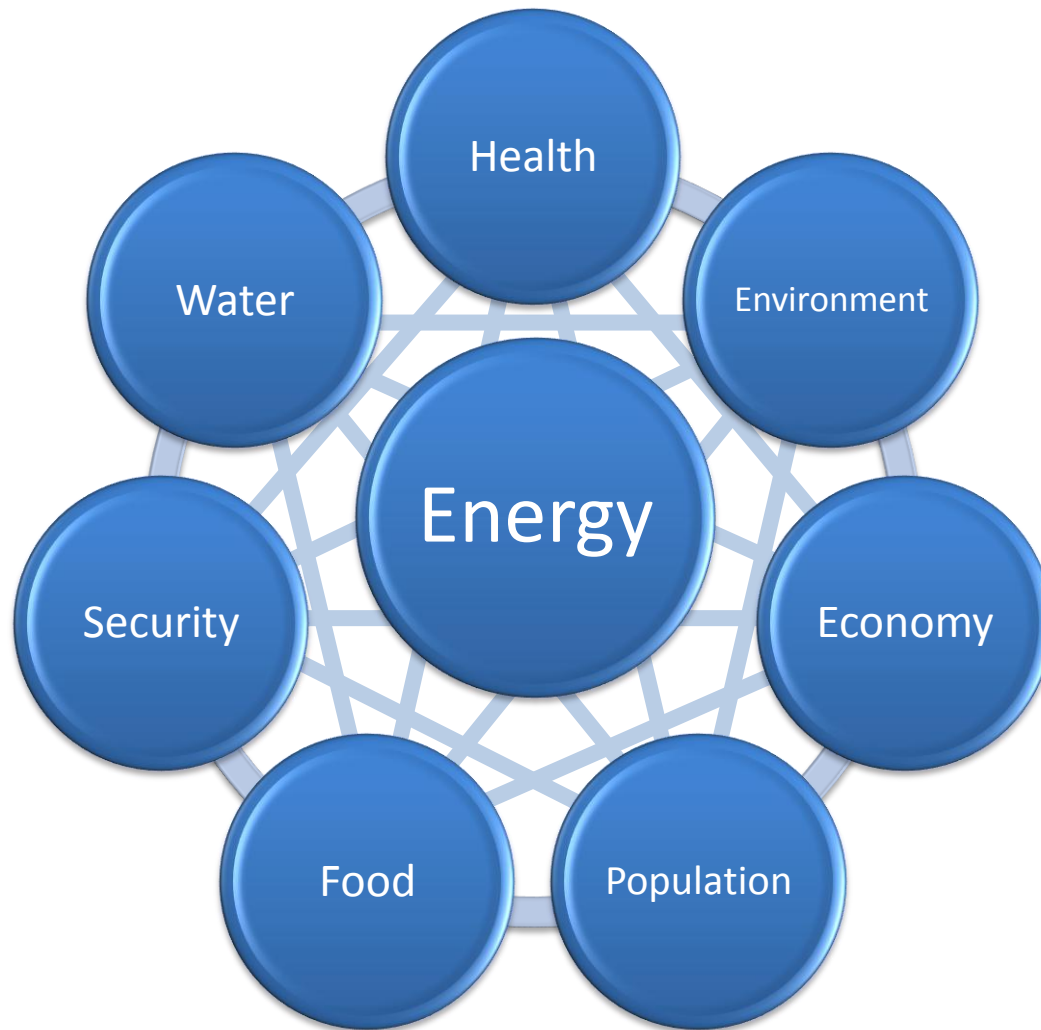


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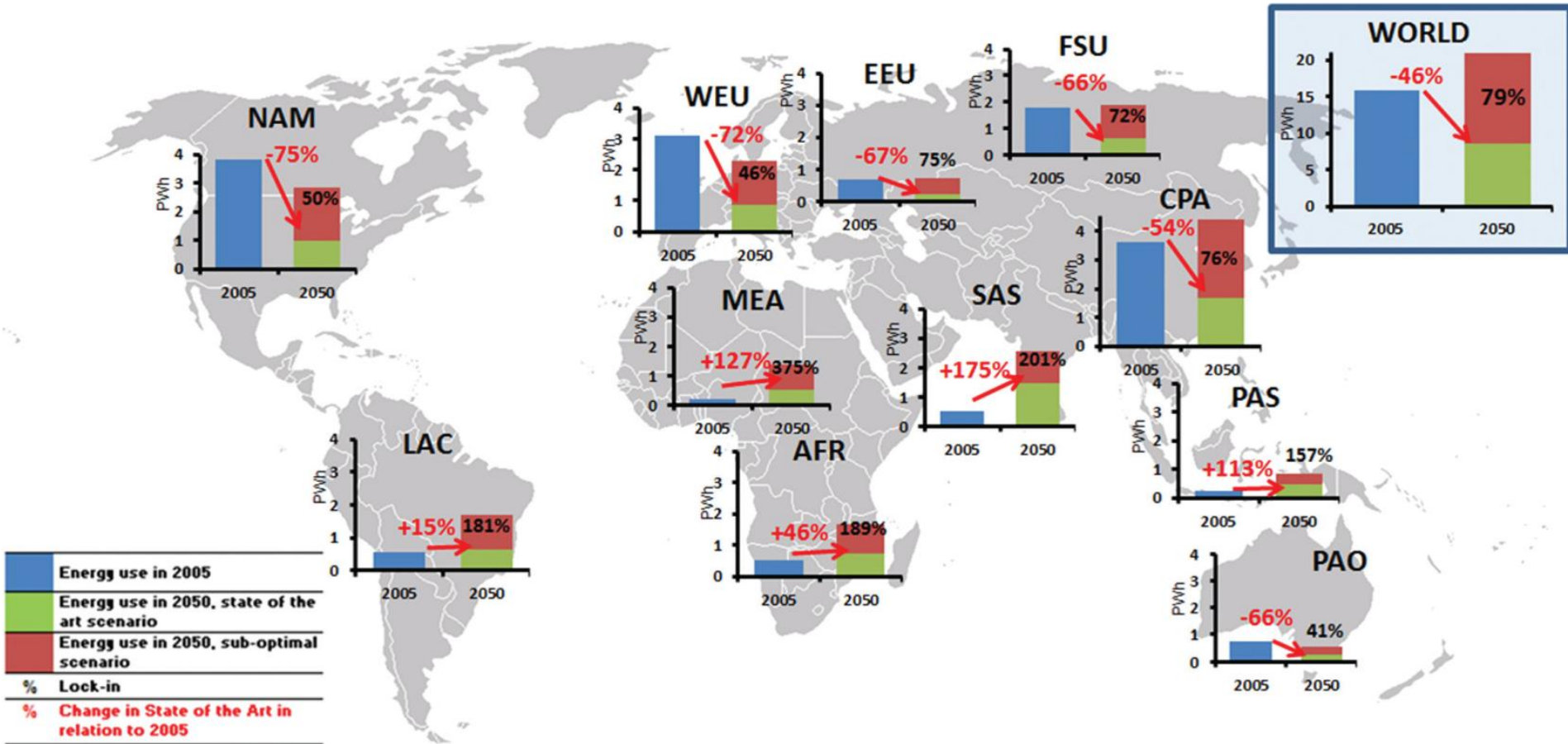
Energy: A global issue - complexity

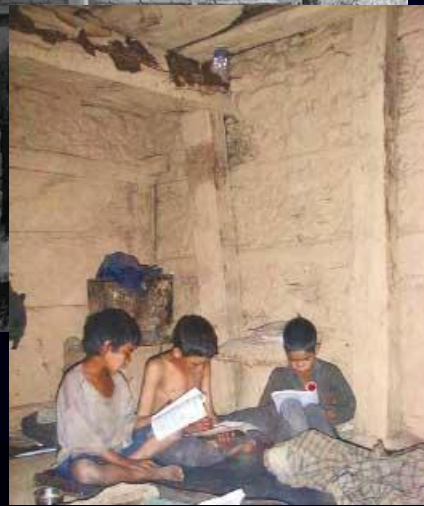
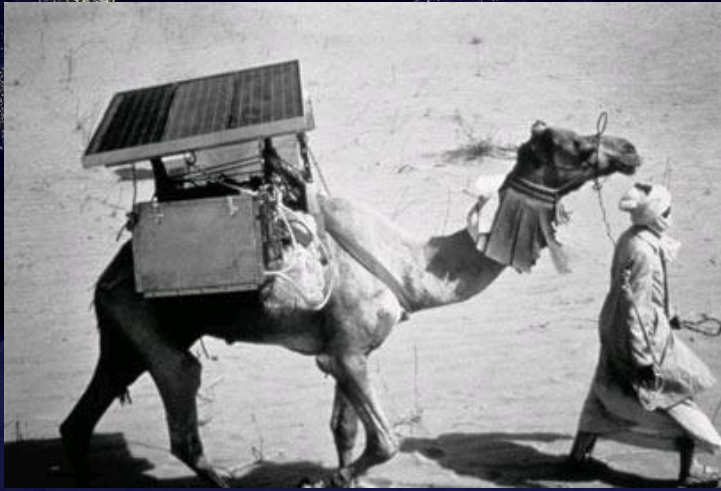
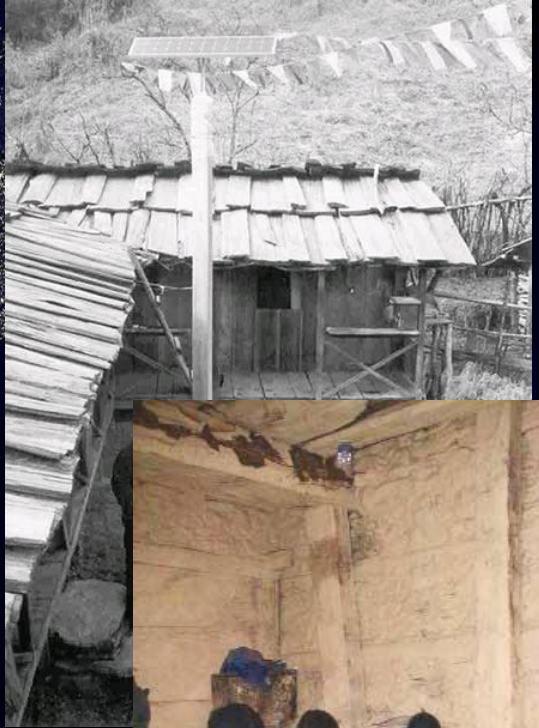




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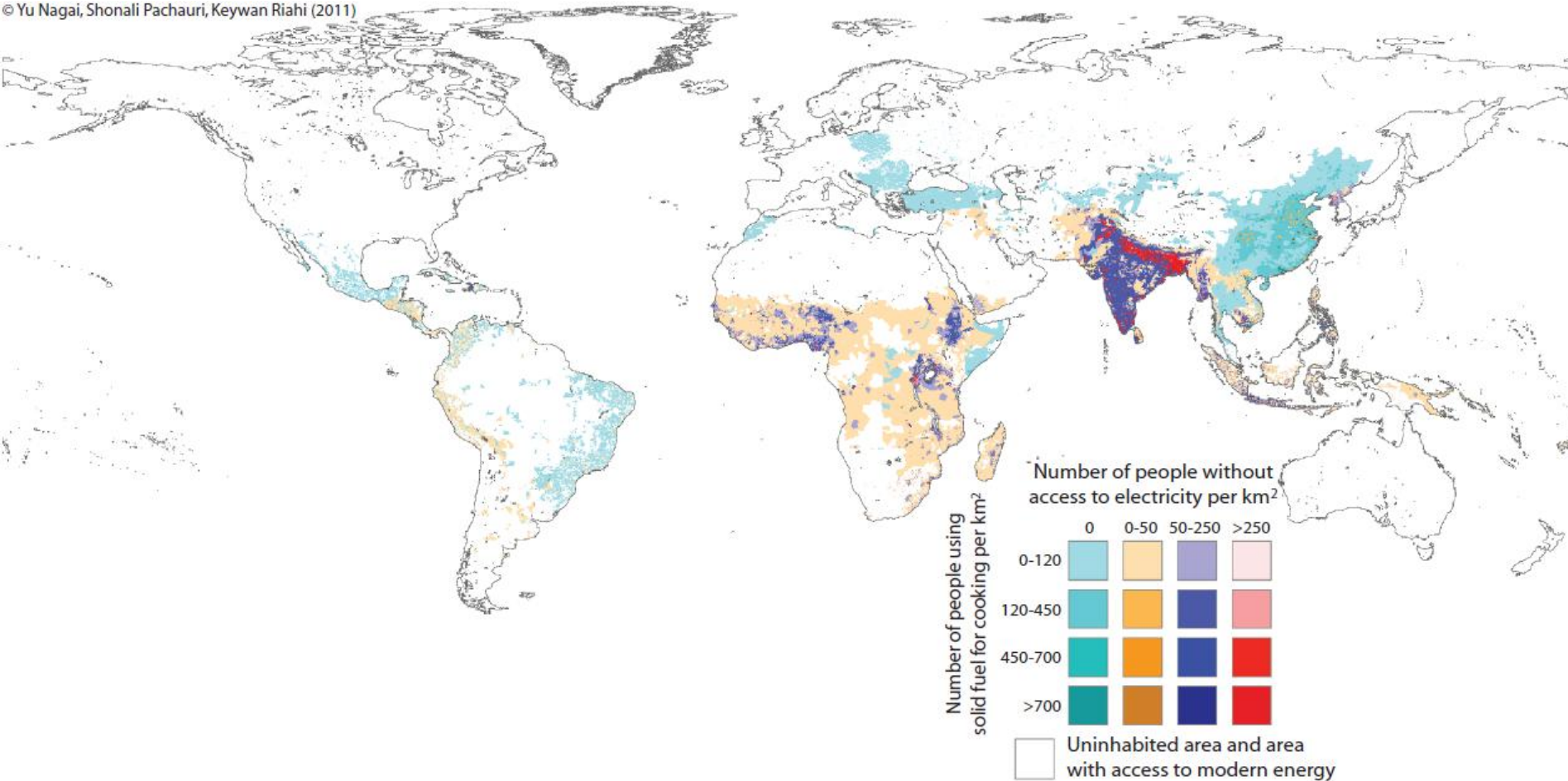
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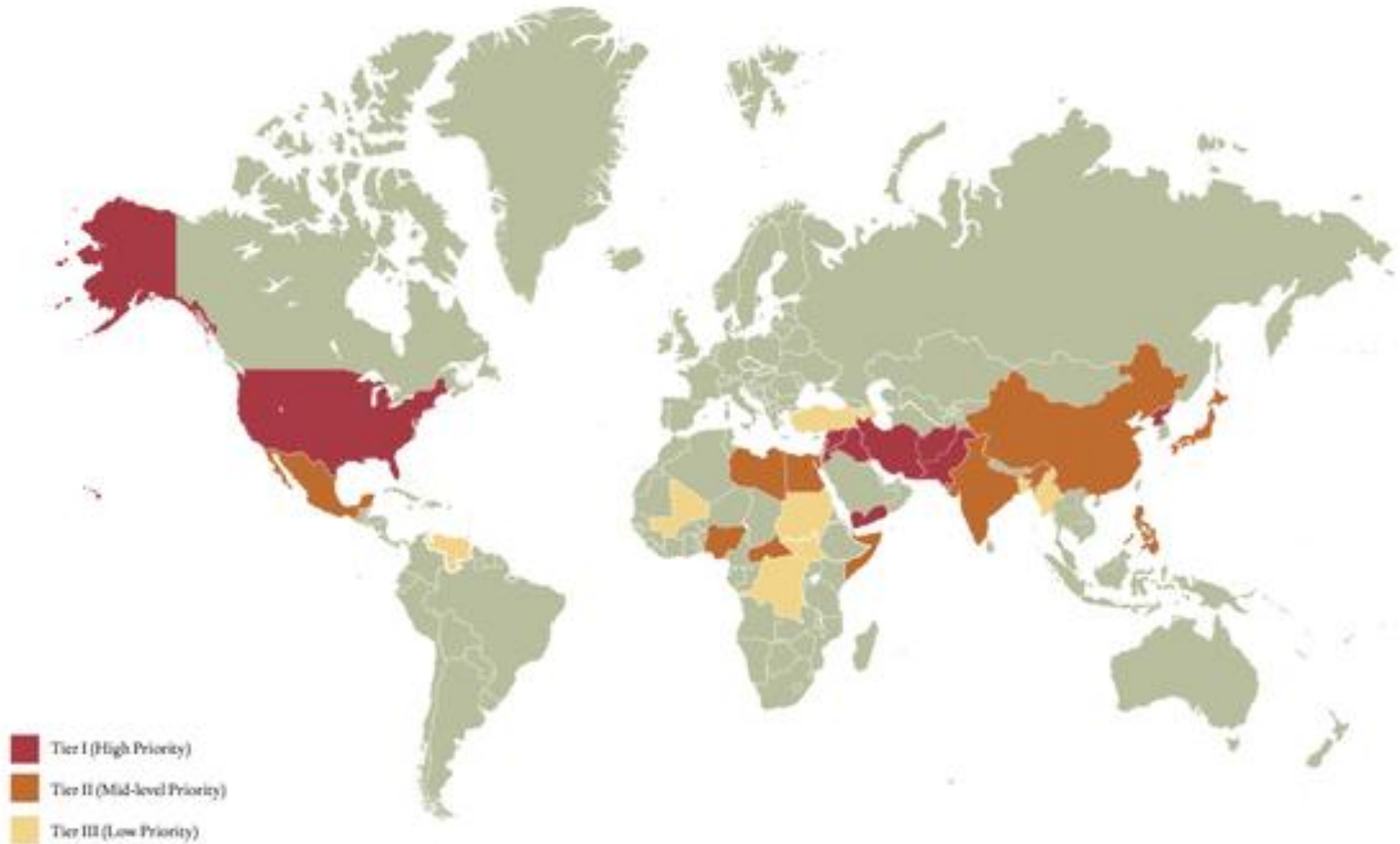


Energy, stability and security

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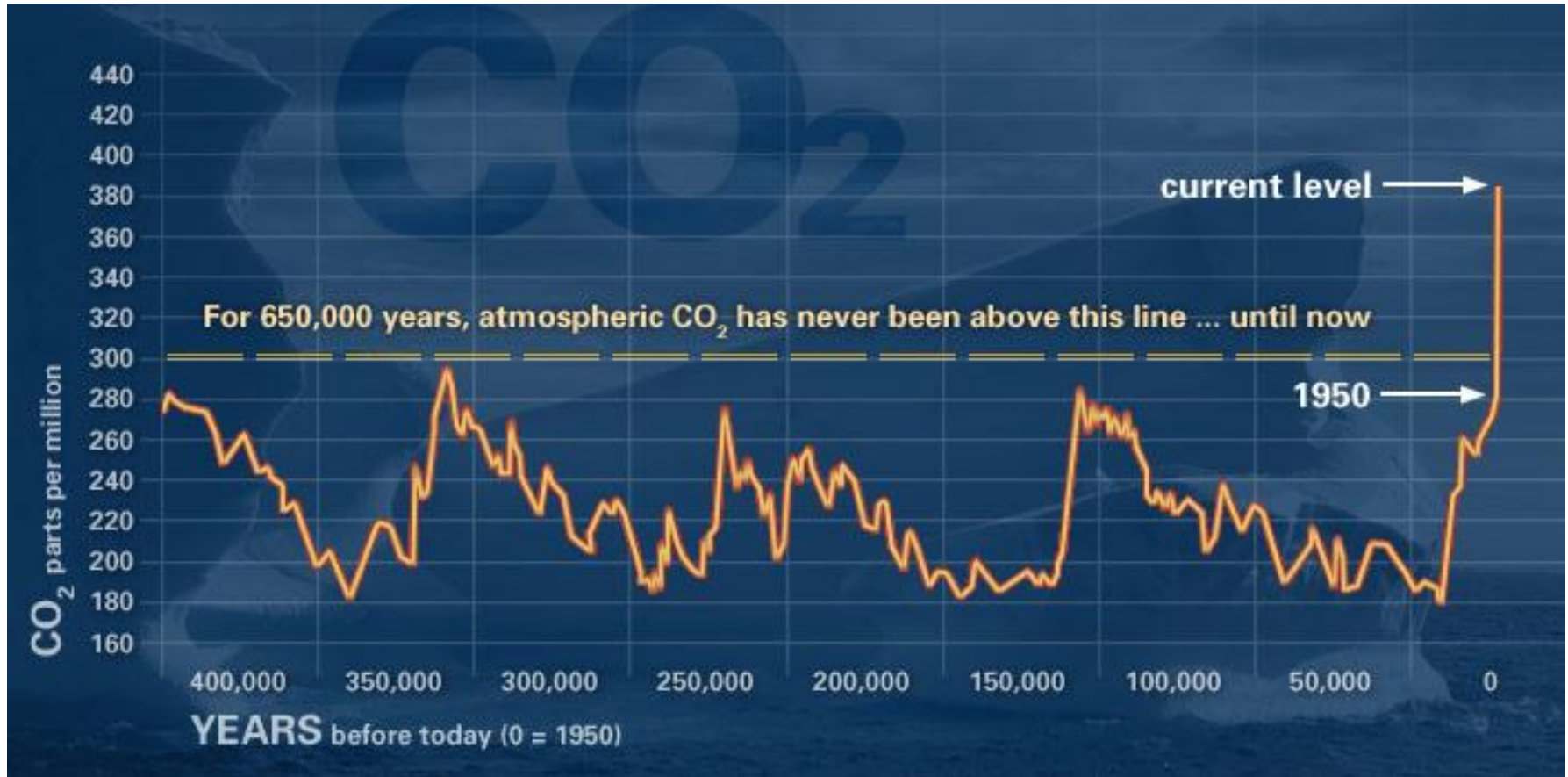


Energy, stability and security



Energy and the environment

Emissions and climate change



Carbon concentration always changes over time...

...but never at the rate and to the levels that we have seen over the past 50 years

Energy and the environment

Emissions and climate change

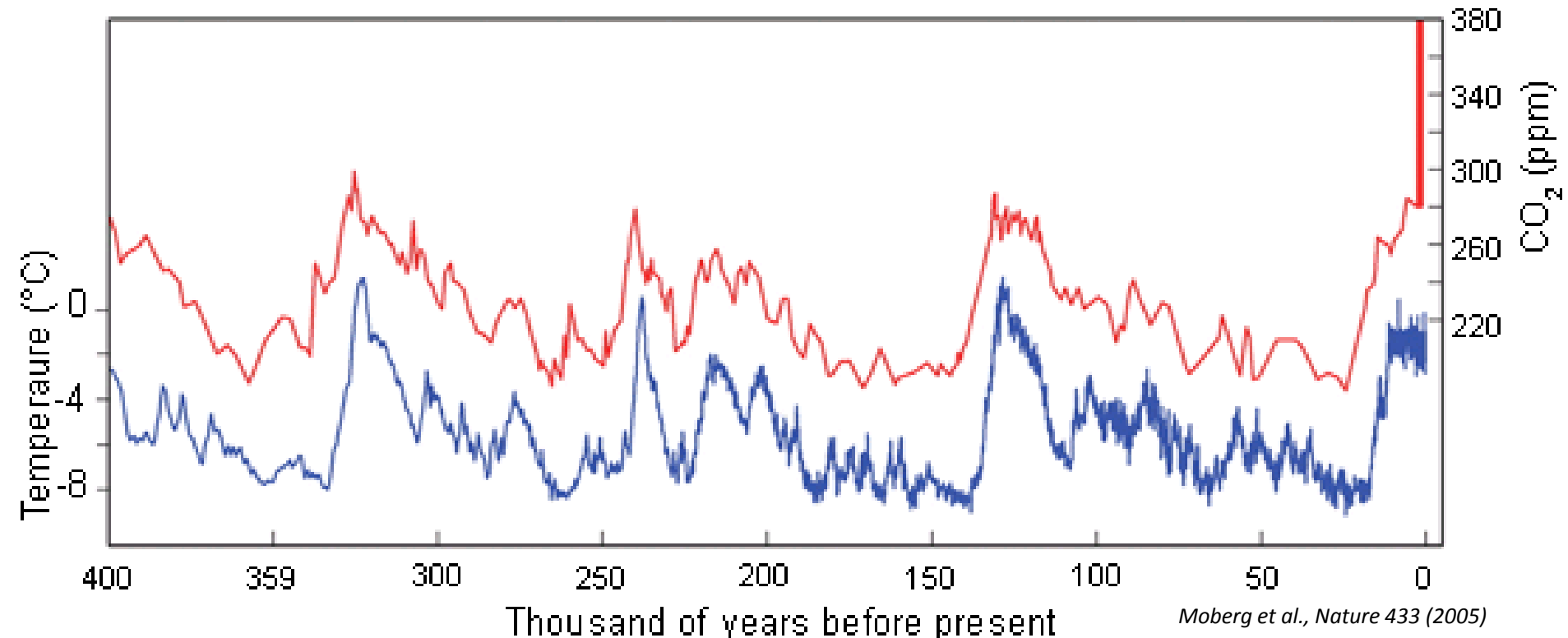


Carbon emissions
are antropogenic



Energy and the environment

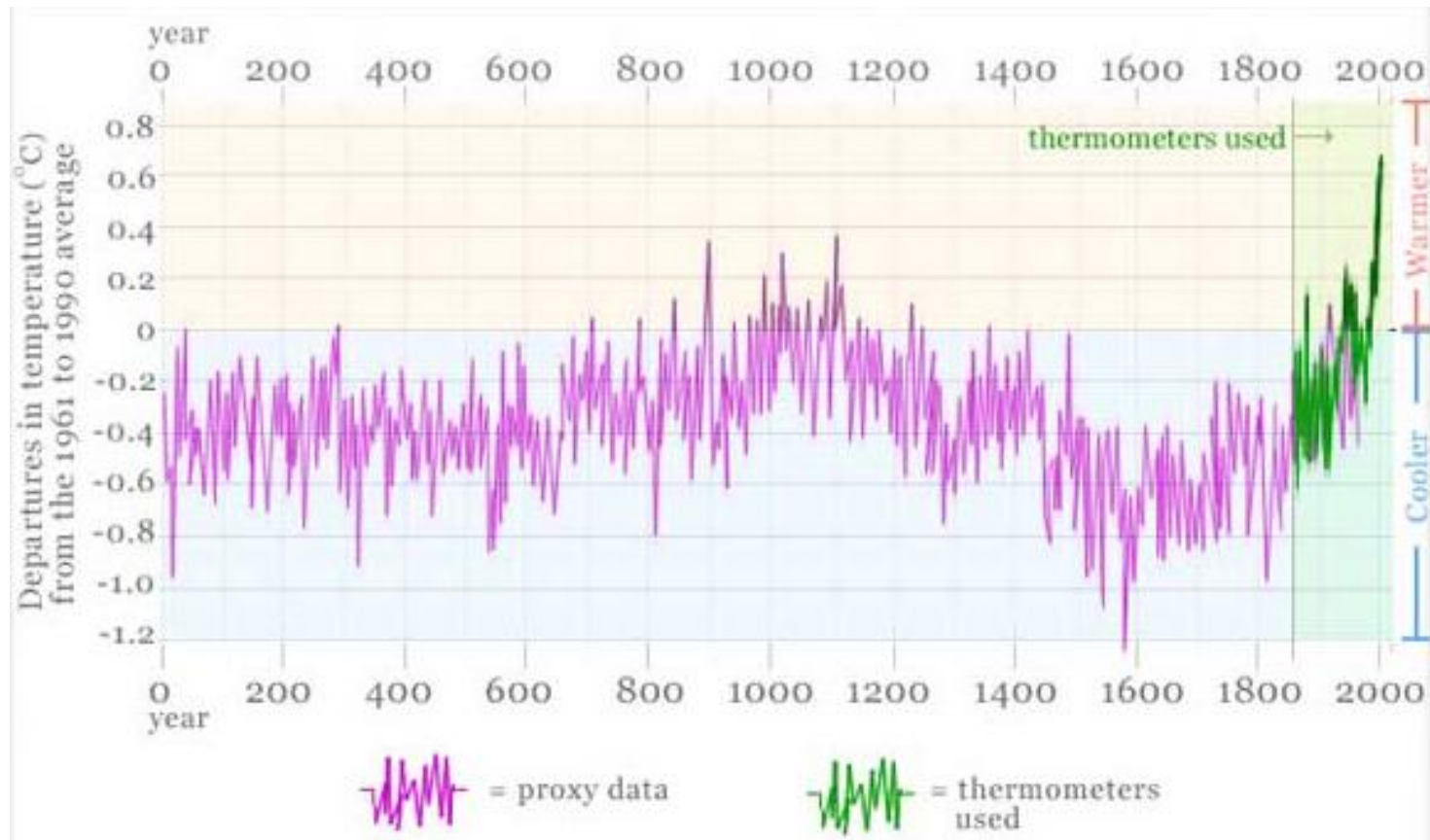
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Carbon concentration and temperature are correlated

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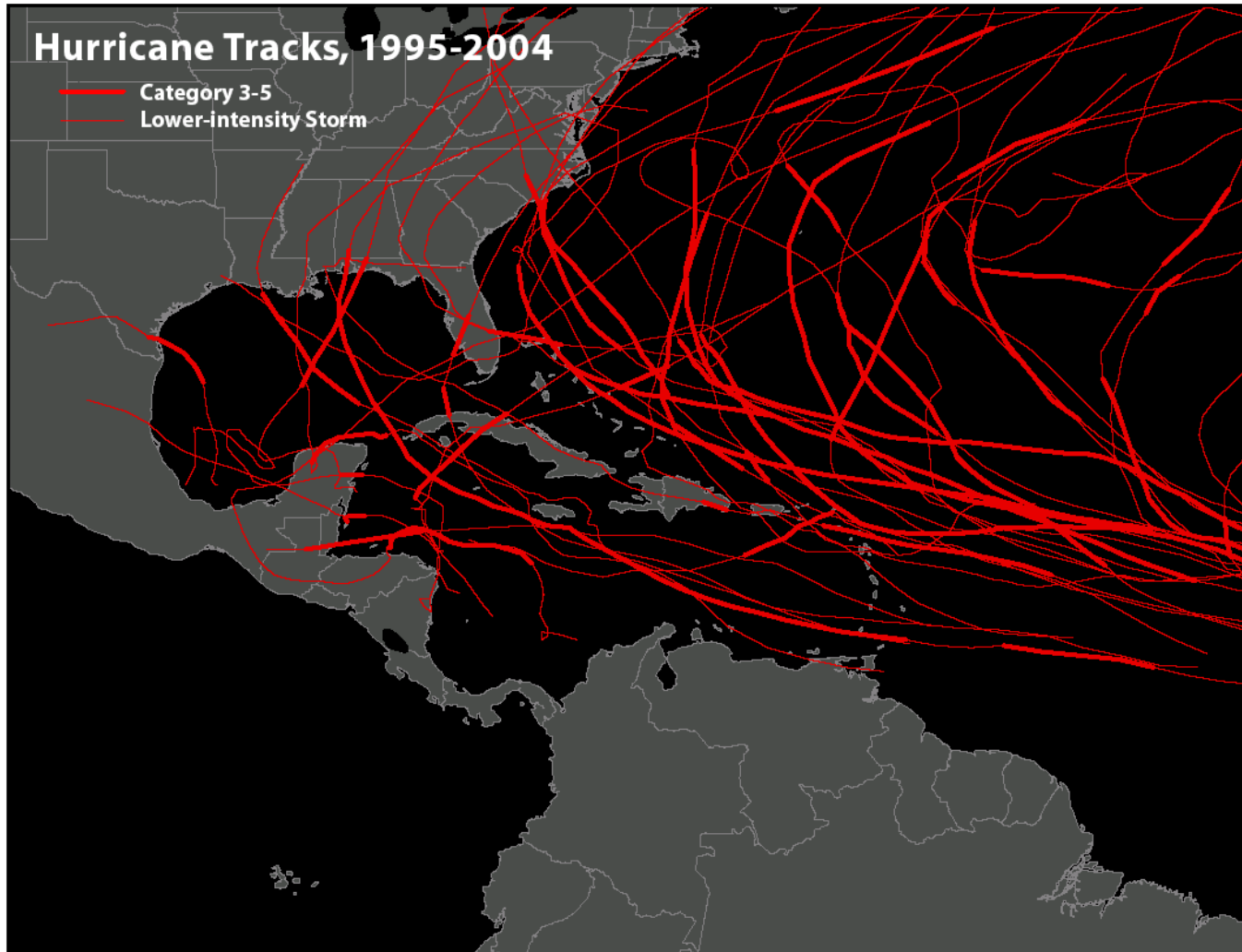
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Temperature seems to be raising

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Energy, Environment, and Economy

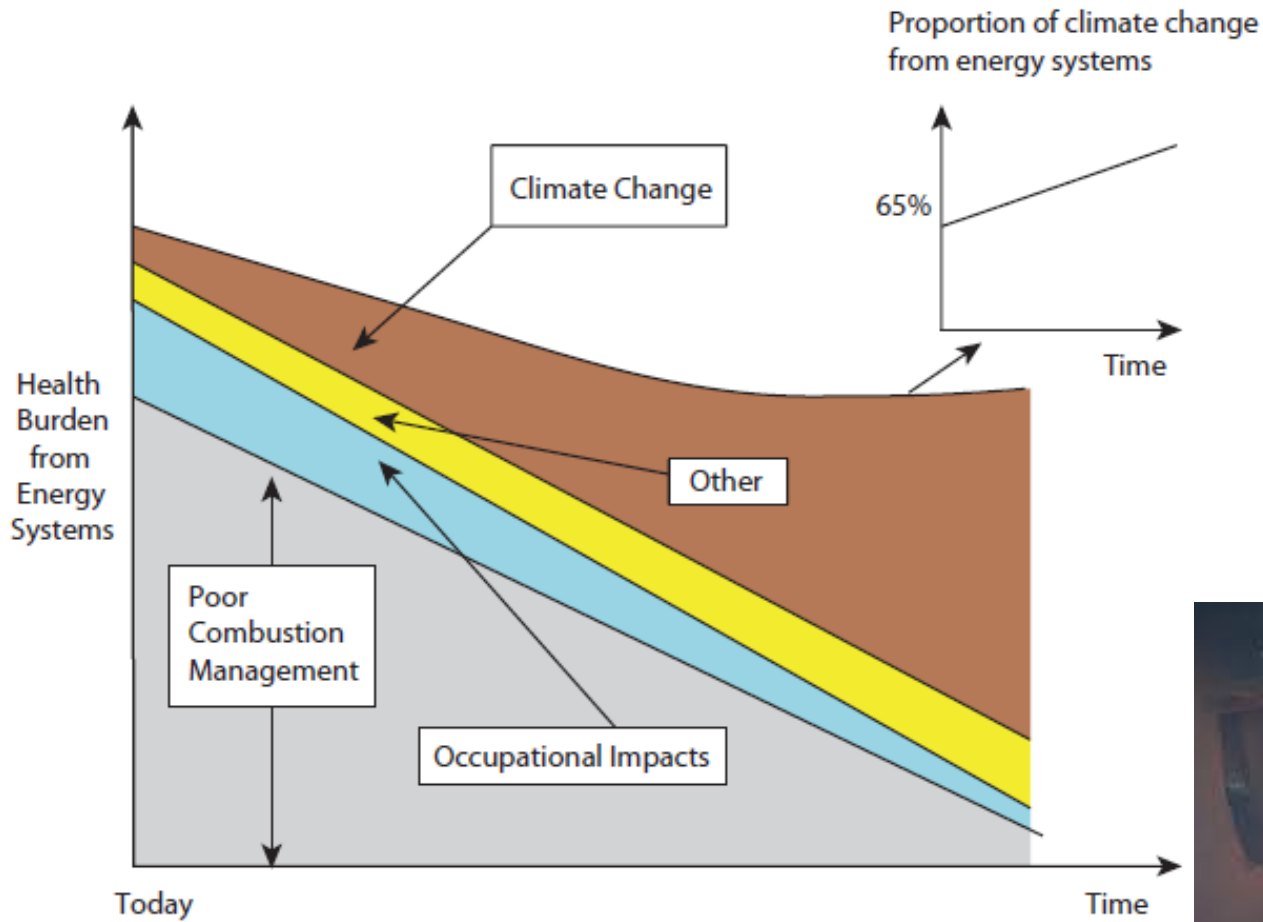
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AMBIENTE

Entro gennaio convocati gli esperti che hanno preparato la ricerca per la Ue
Nel conto i danni a turismo e agricoltura e le sanzioni per le violazioni di Kyoto

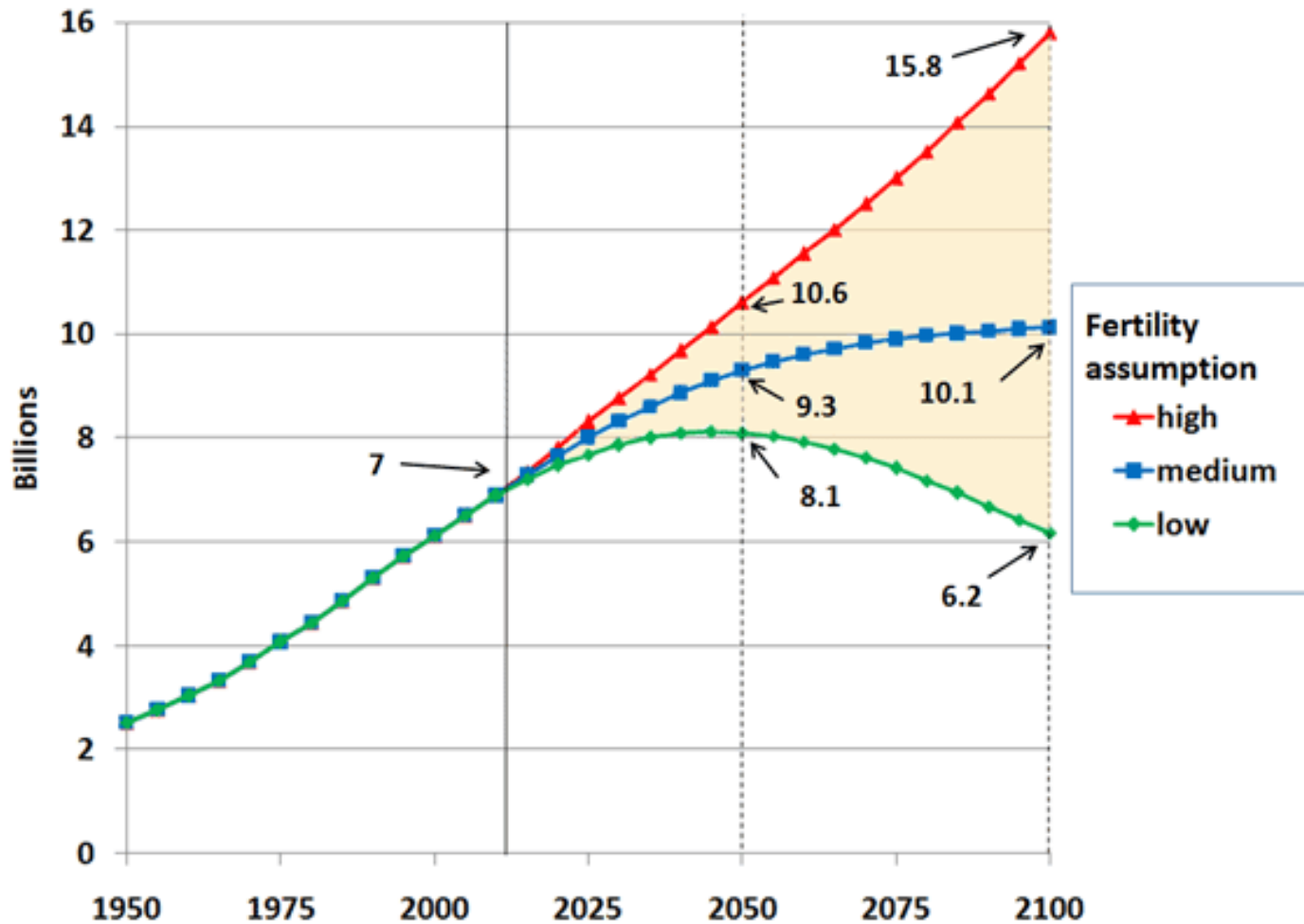
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Energy and Health

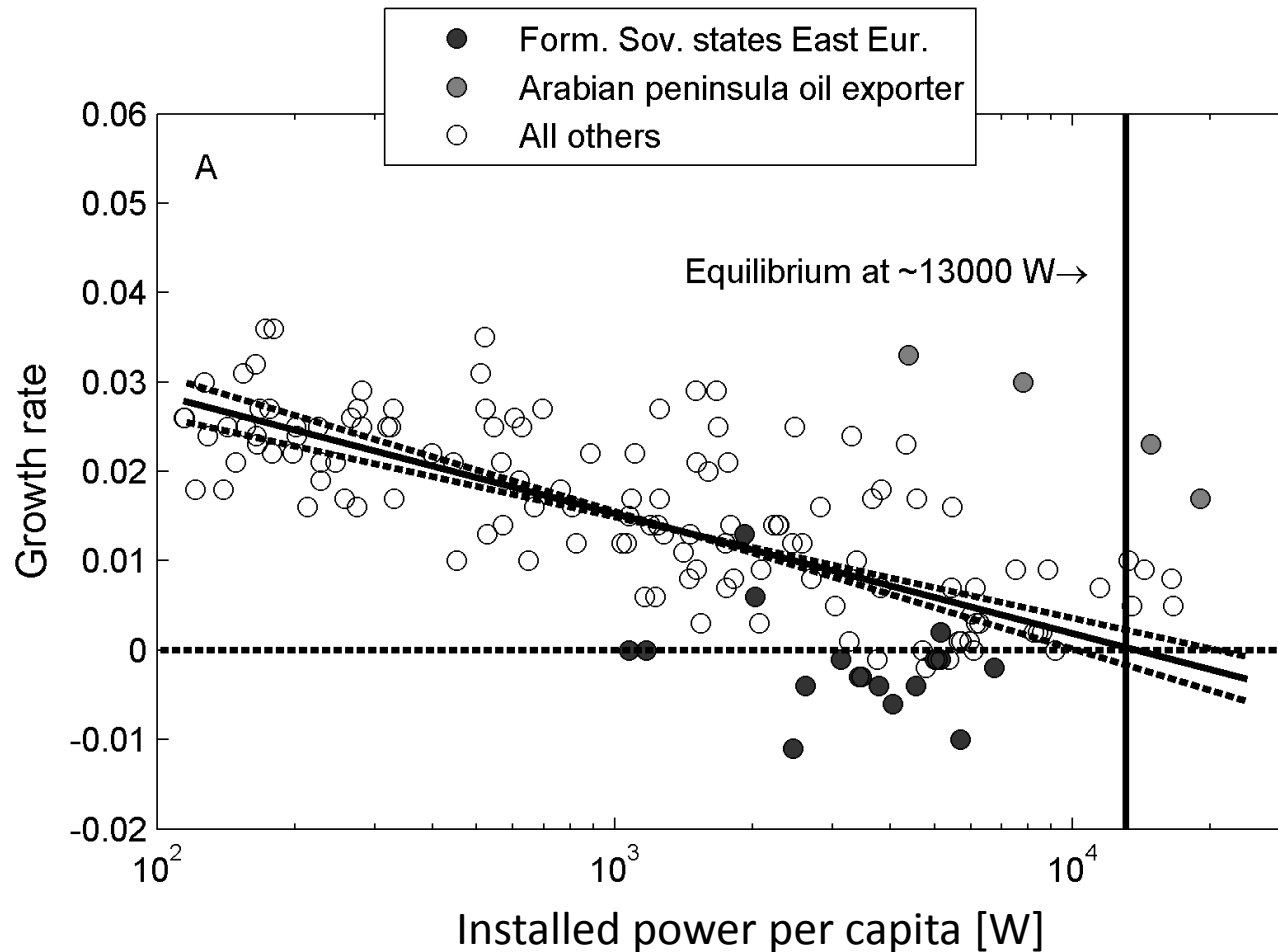


Energy and Population

UN Projections of World Population Under Three Fertility Assumptions

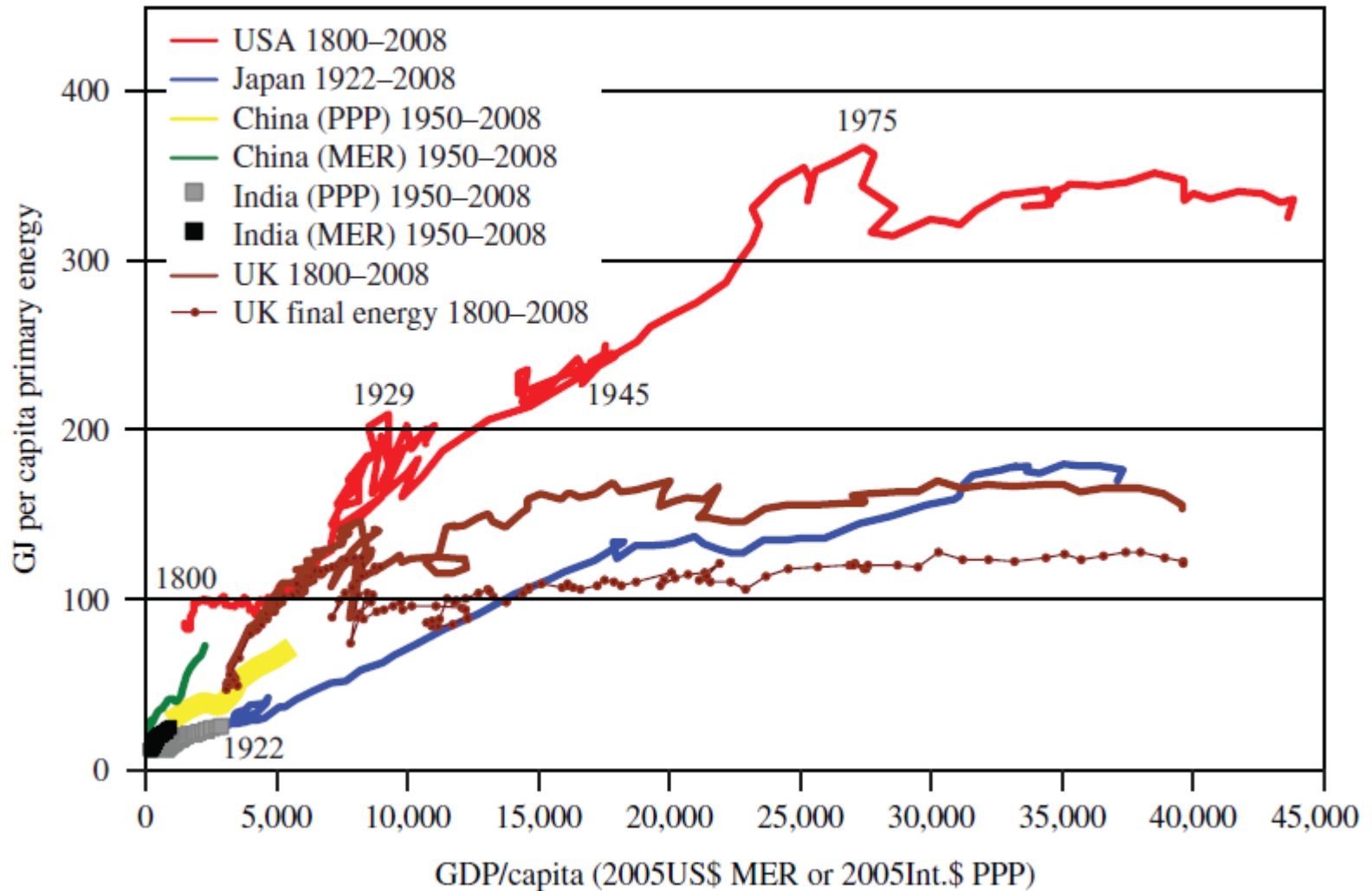


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Energy might not be sufficient to sustain stabilization of the population

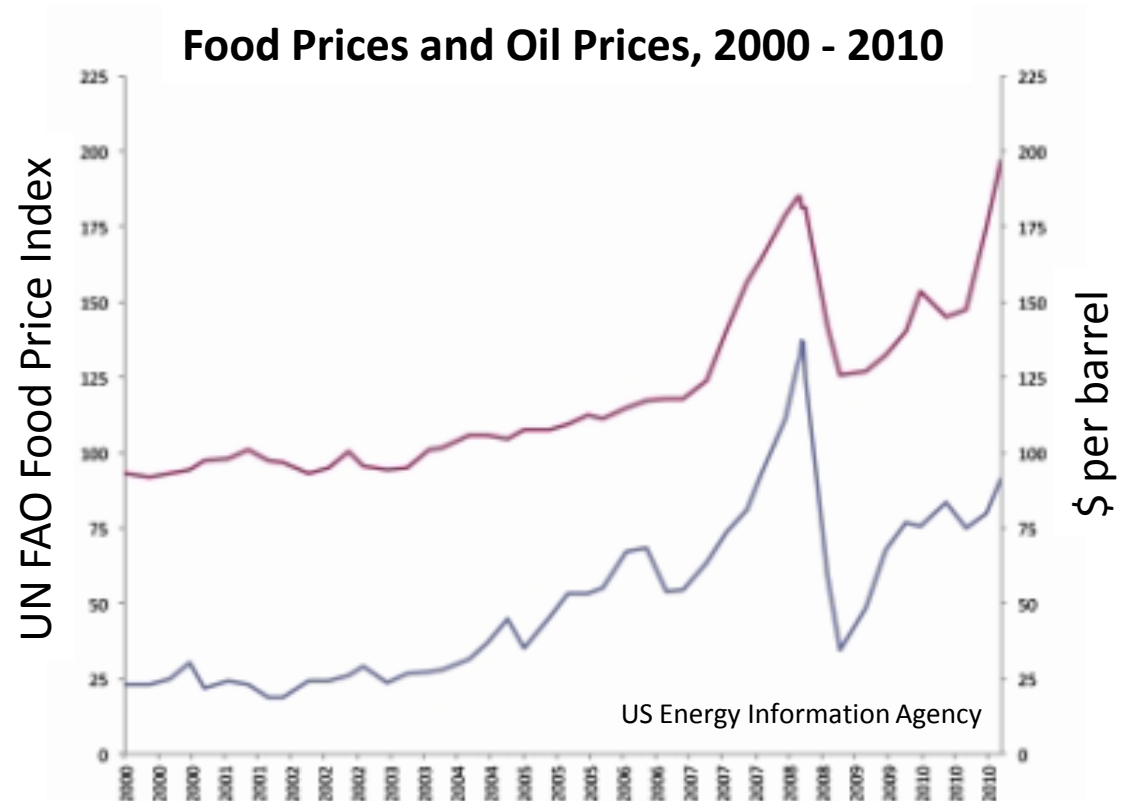
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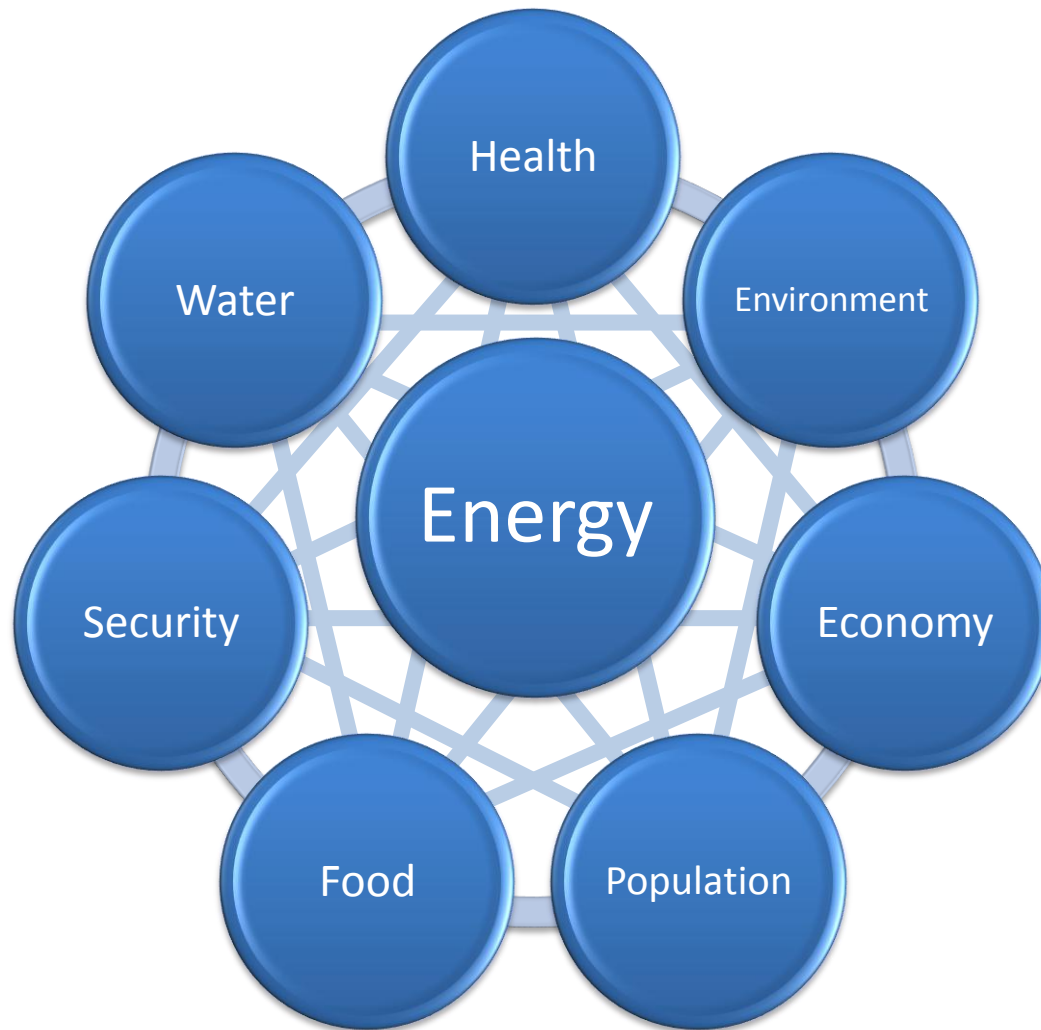
Energy and Food



- Food vs Energy dilemma
(food cropland substituted by energy crops)
- Link between prices of food and prices of energy



Energy: A global issue - complexity

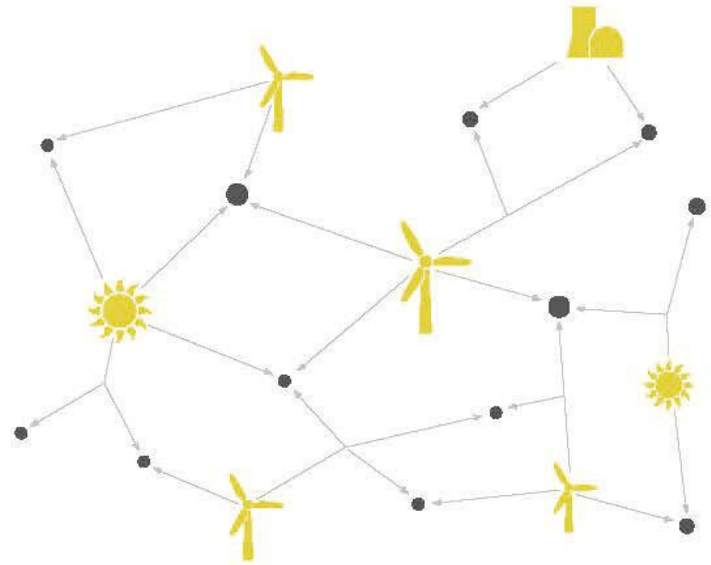
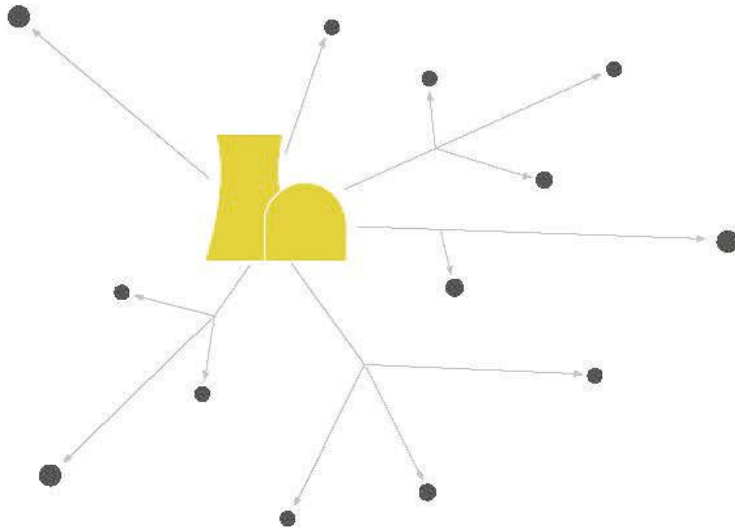


Energy and complexity

- a different standpoint -

Complexity arising from **large number of players** and strong **interconnectedness**

E.g.: Integration of different energy sources
Smart grid

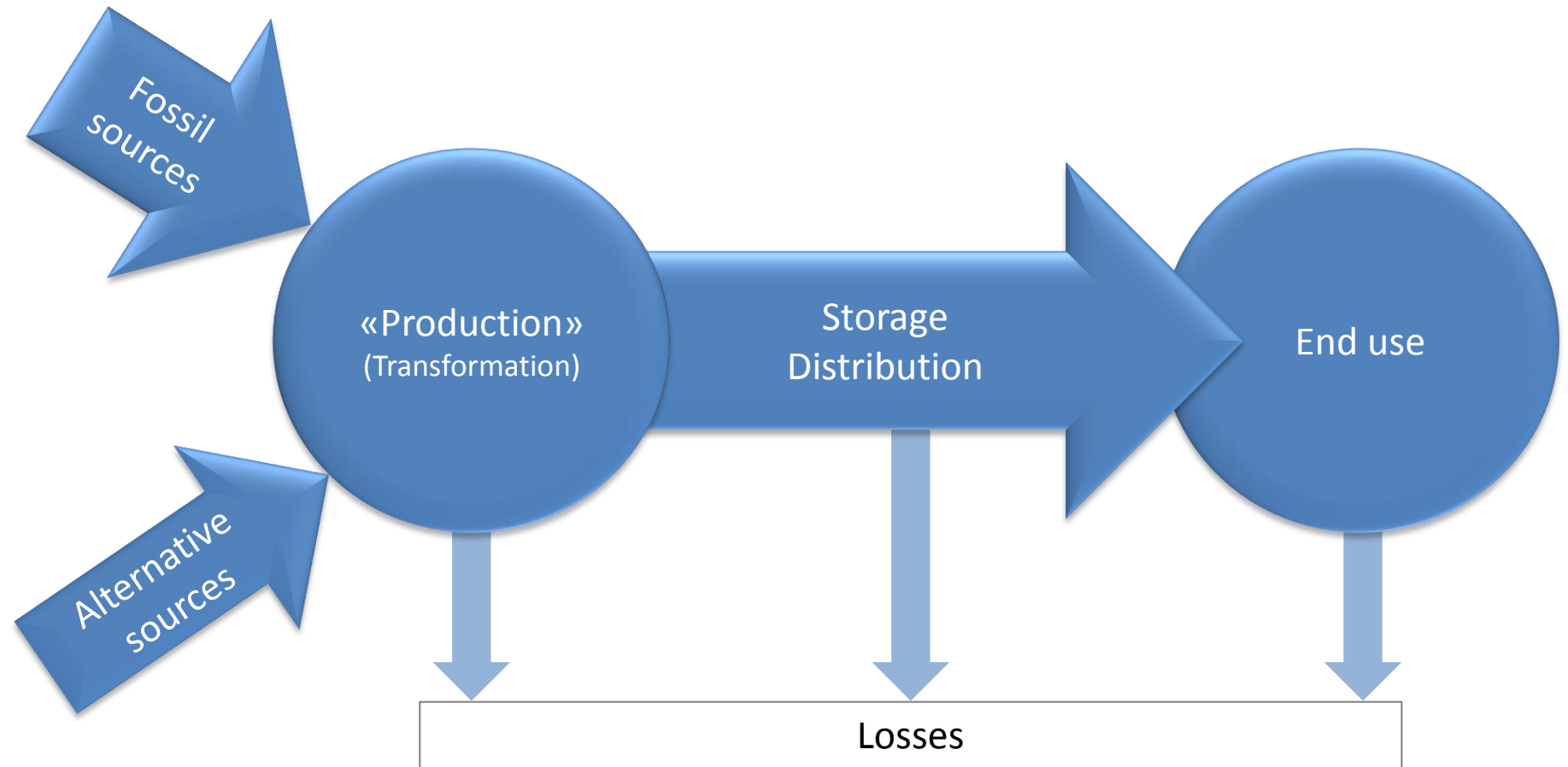


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Energy Supply Chain: Examples

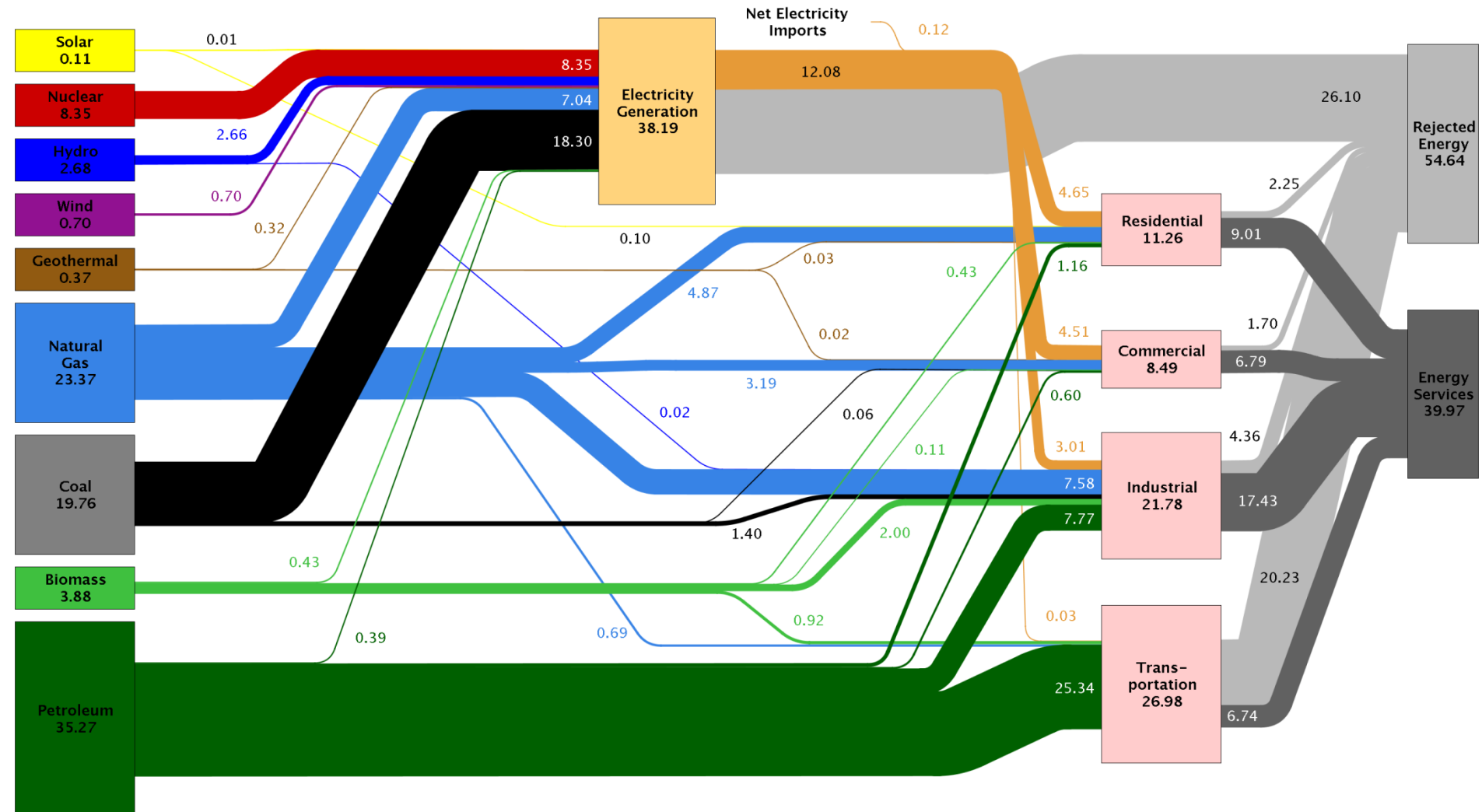


Energy Supply Chain



Complexity of the Energy Supply Chain

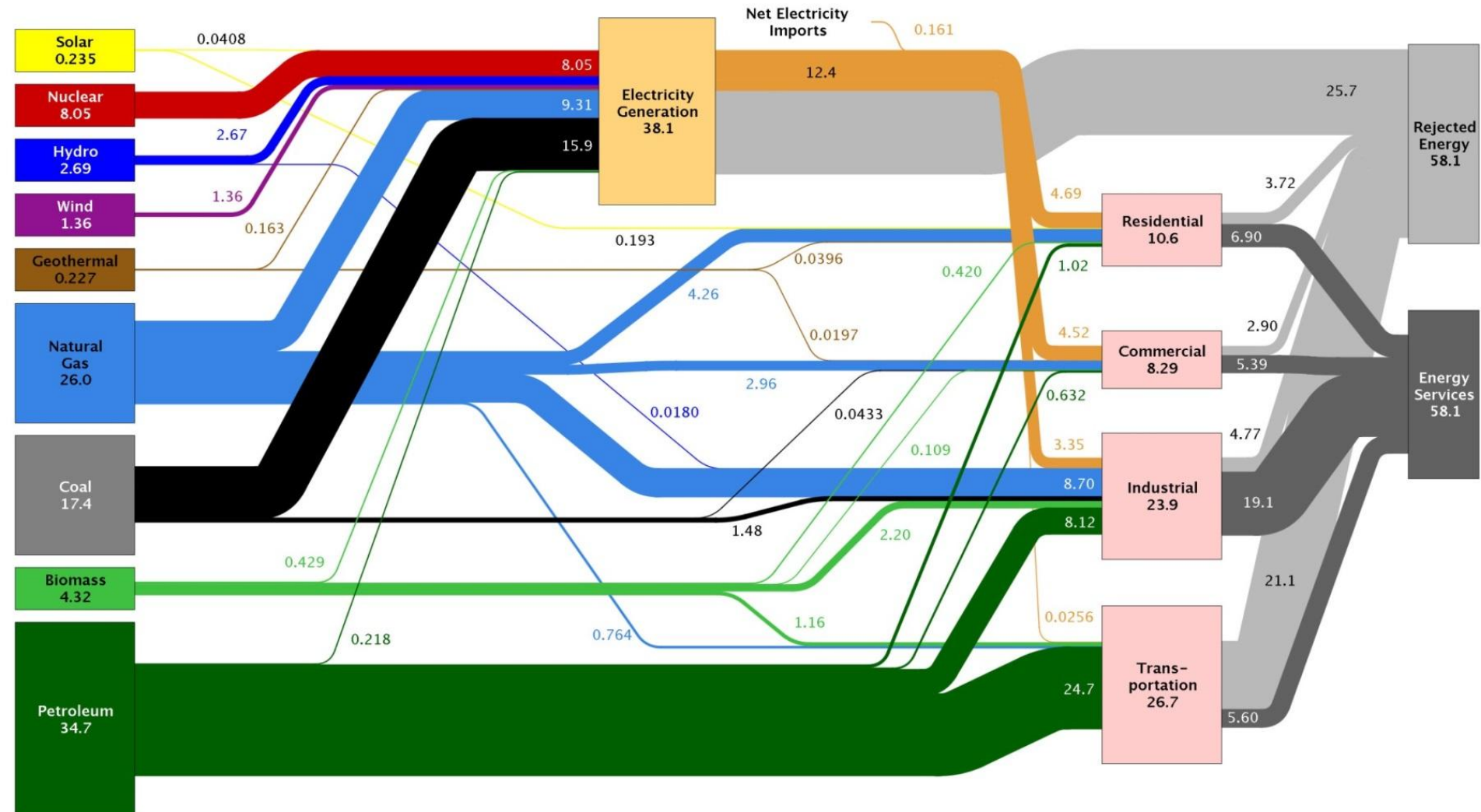
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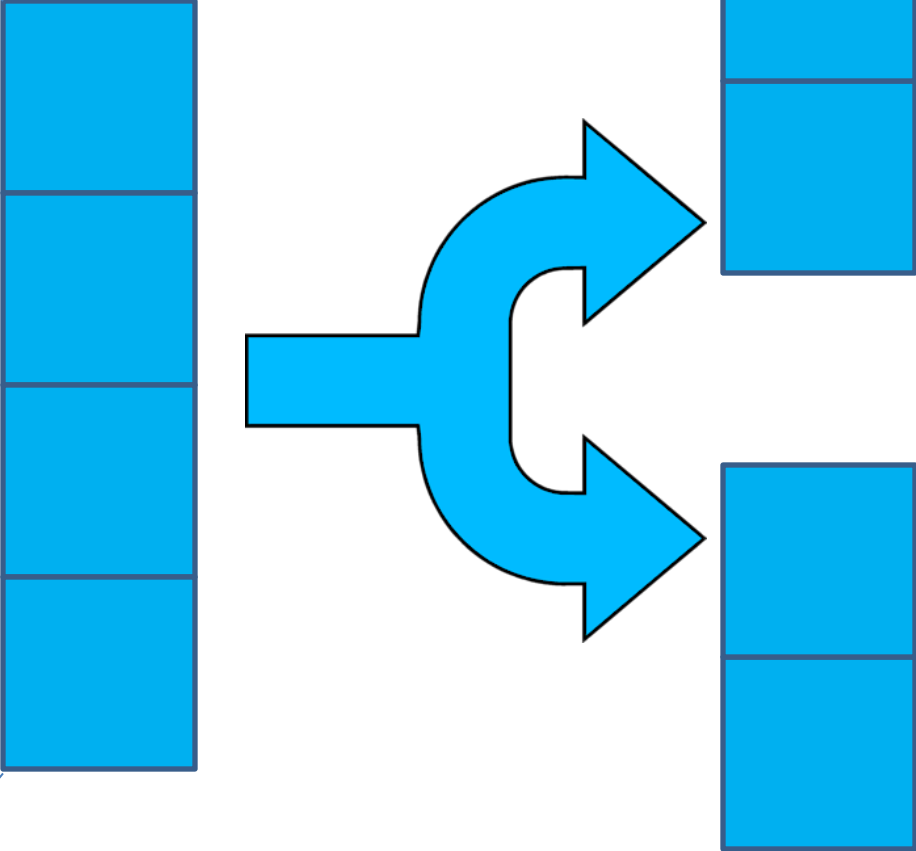


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End-of-chain energy efficiency and saving

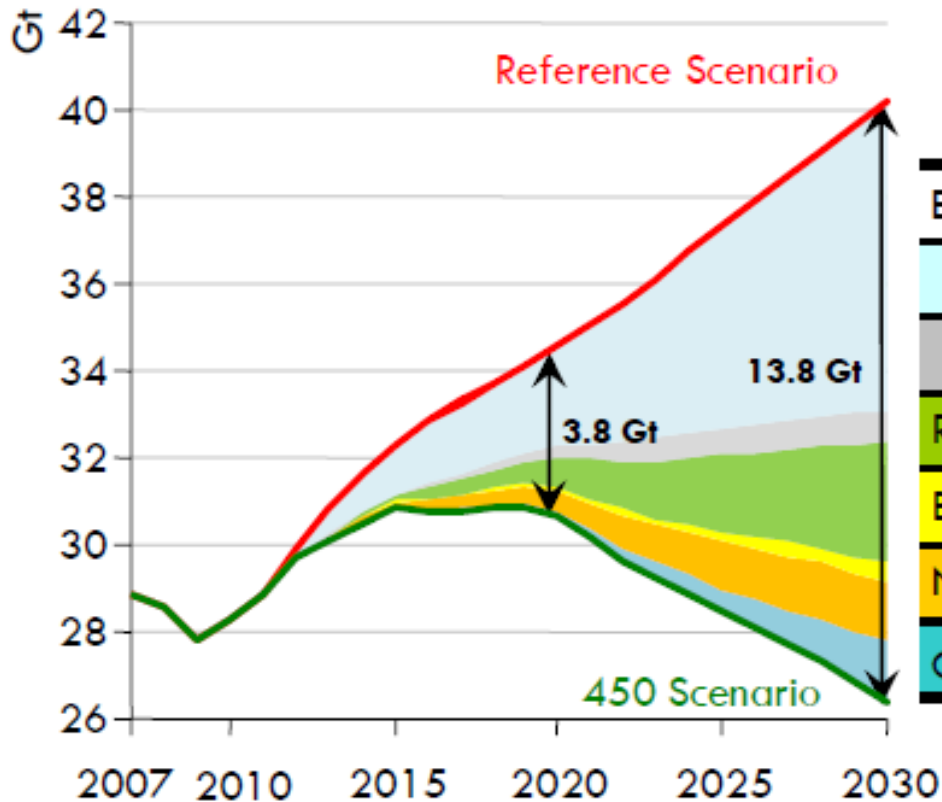


The value more than doubles!



Role of efficiency

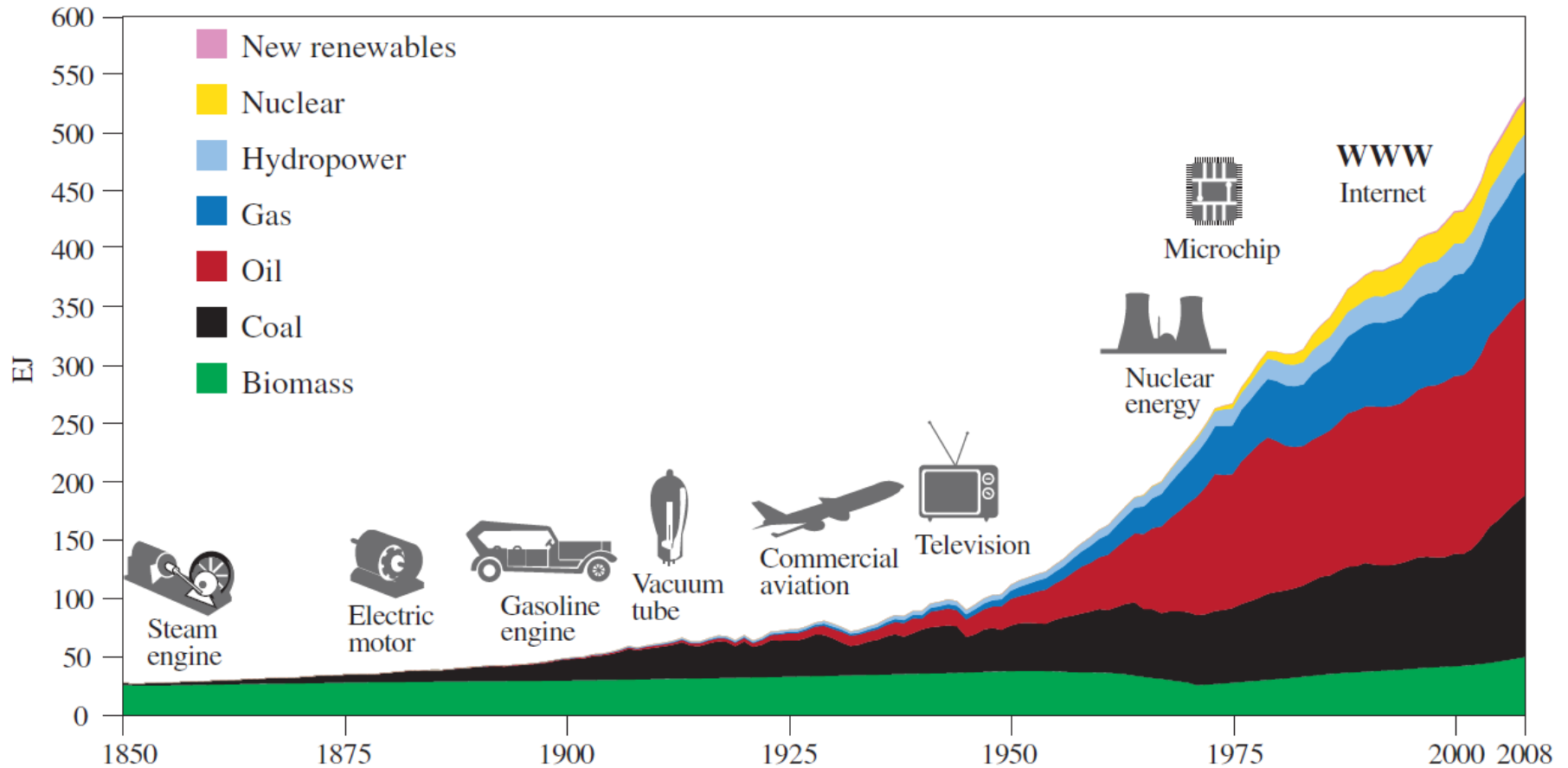
for a carbon-free energy system



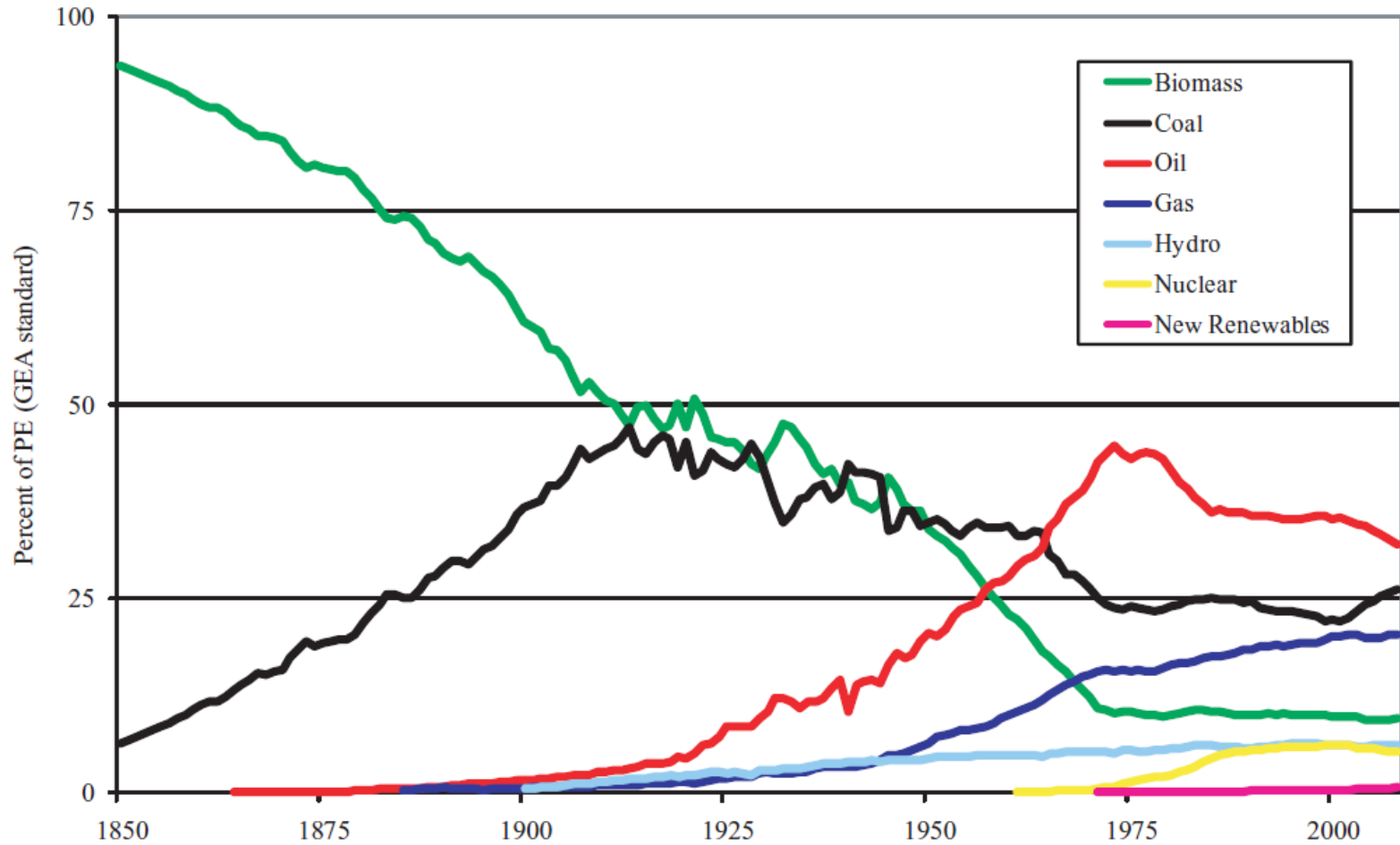
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Energy demand growth



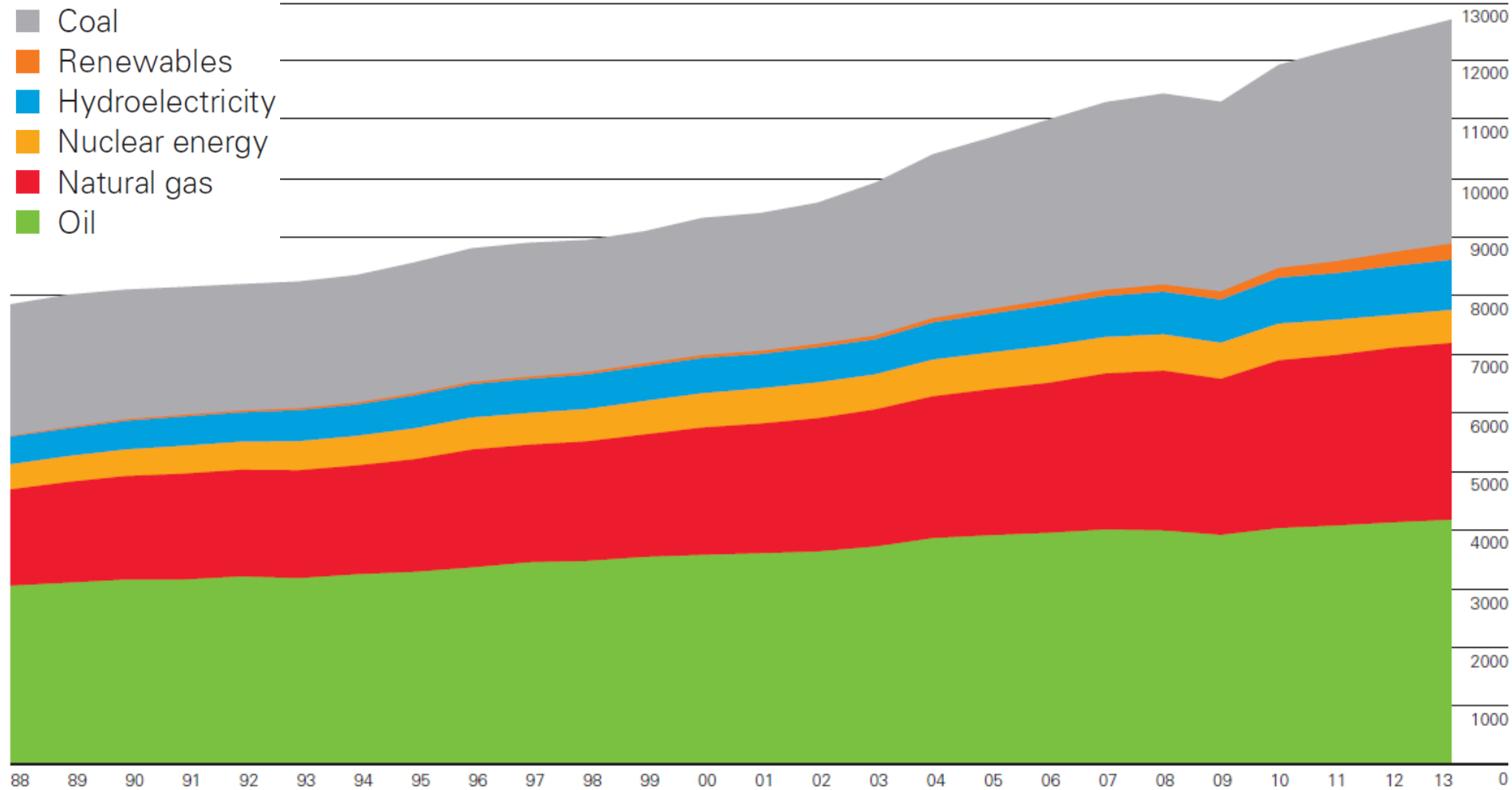
Energy Transitions



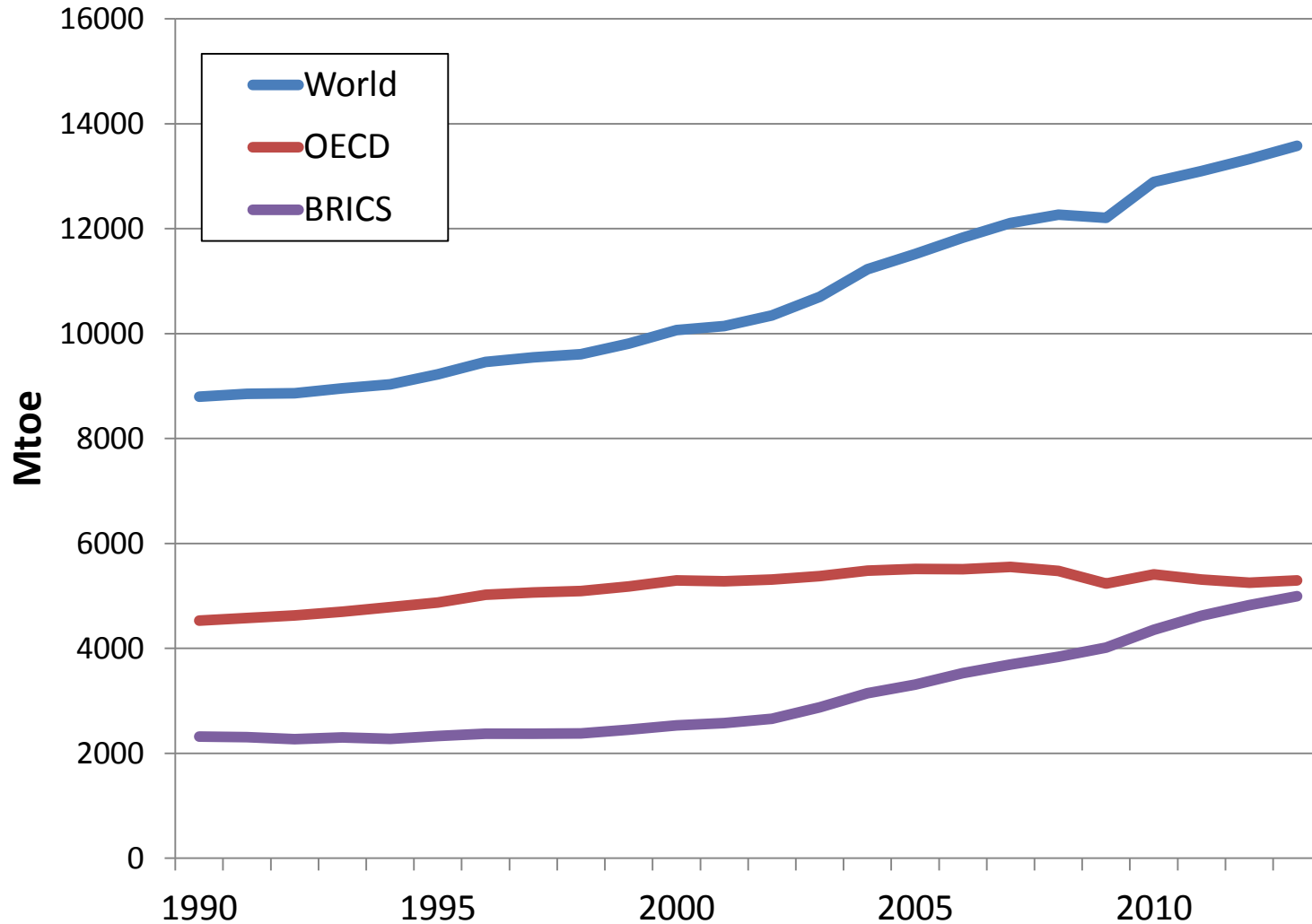
Global Energy Consumption

World consumption

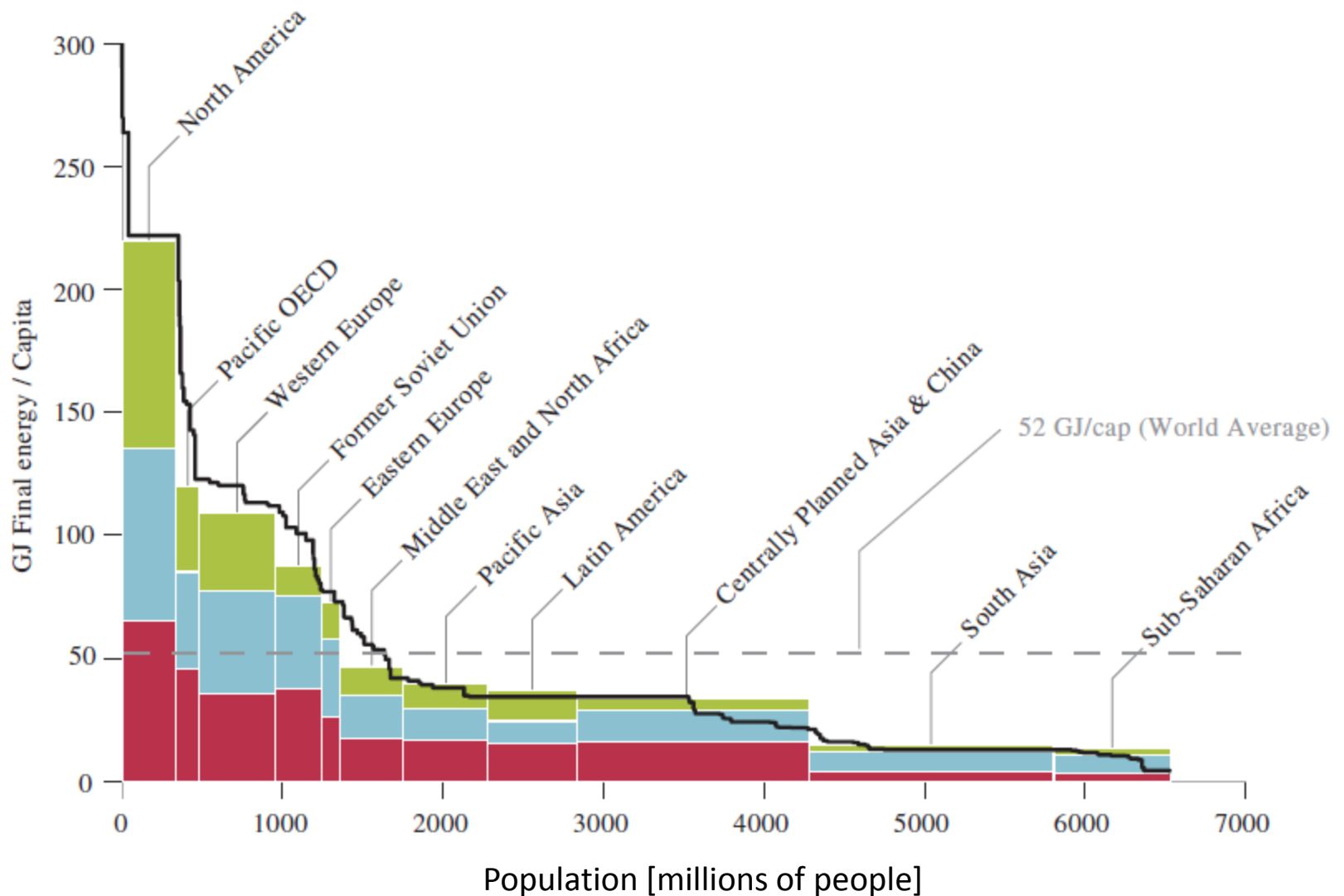
Million tonnes oil equivalent



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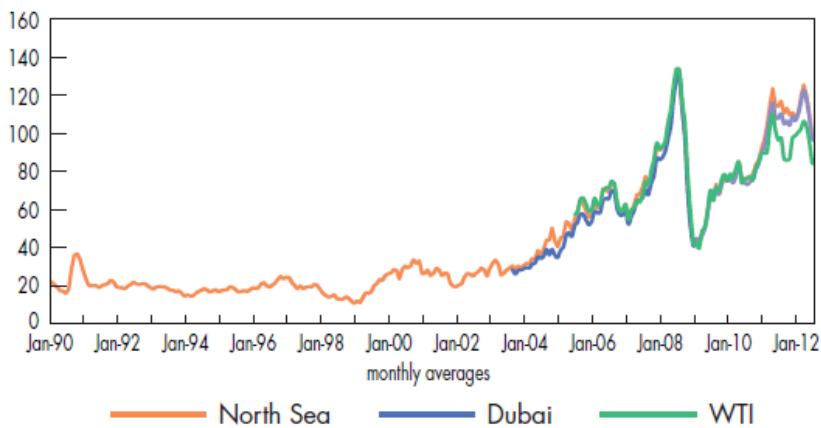


Energy demand: Global imbalance

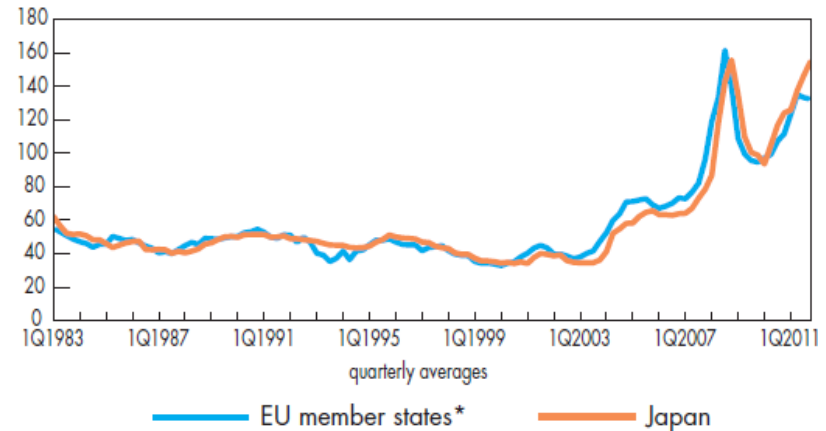


Price dynamics of primary energy sources

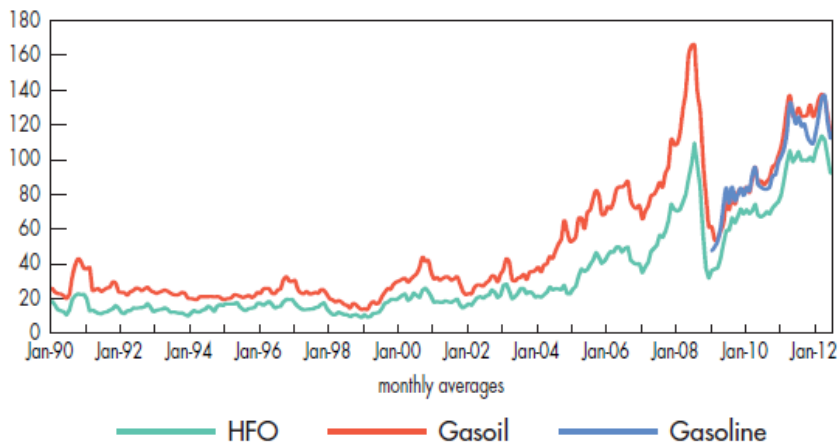
Key crude oil spot prices
in USD/barrel



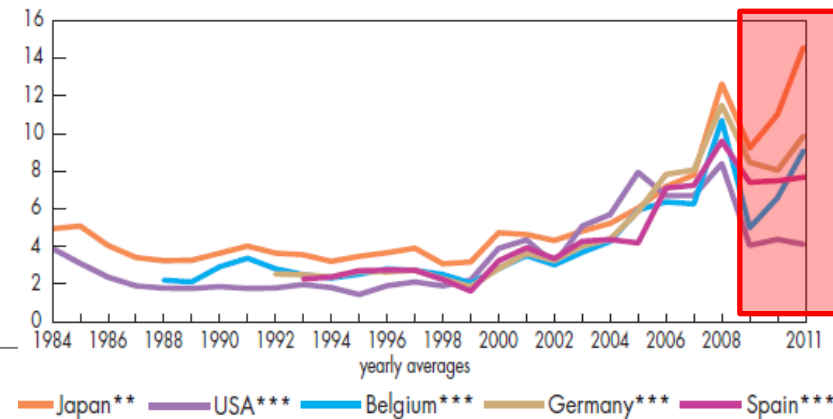
Steam coal import costs
in USD/tonne



Rotterdam oil product spot prices
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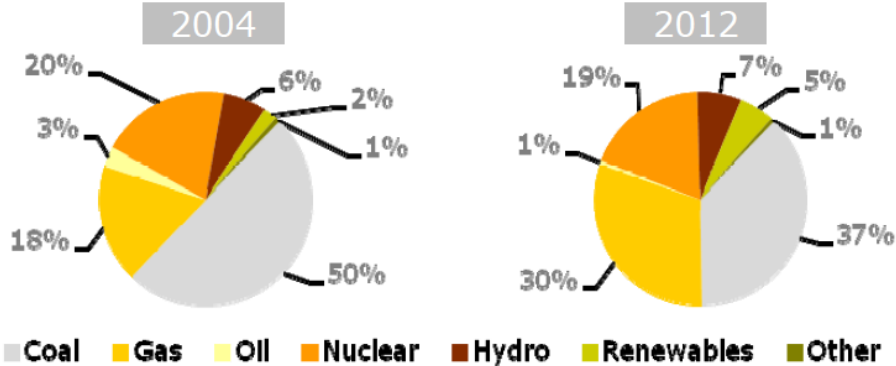


Natural gas import prices
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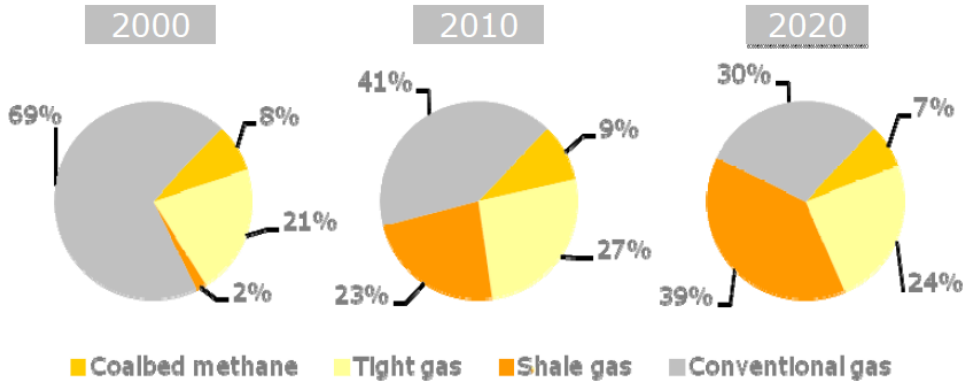


Price dynamics: the effect of shale gas

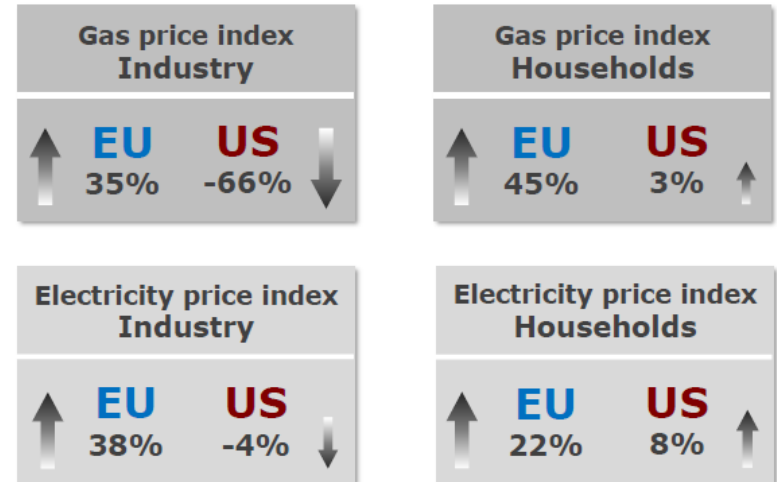
US Power Generation Mix



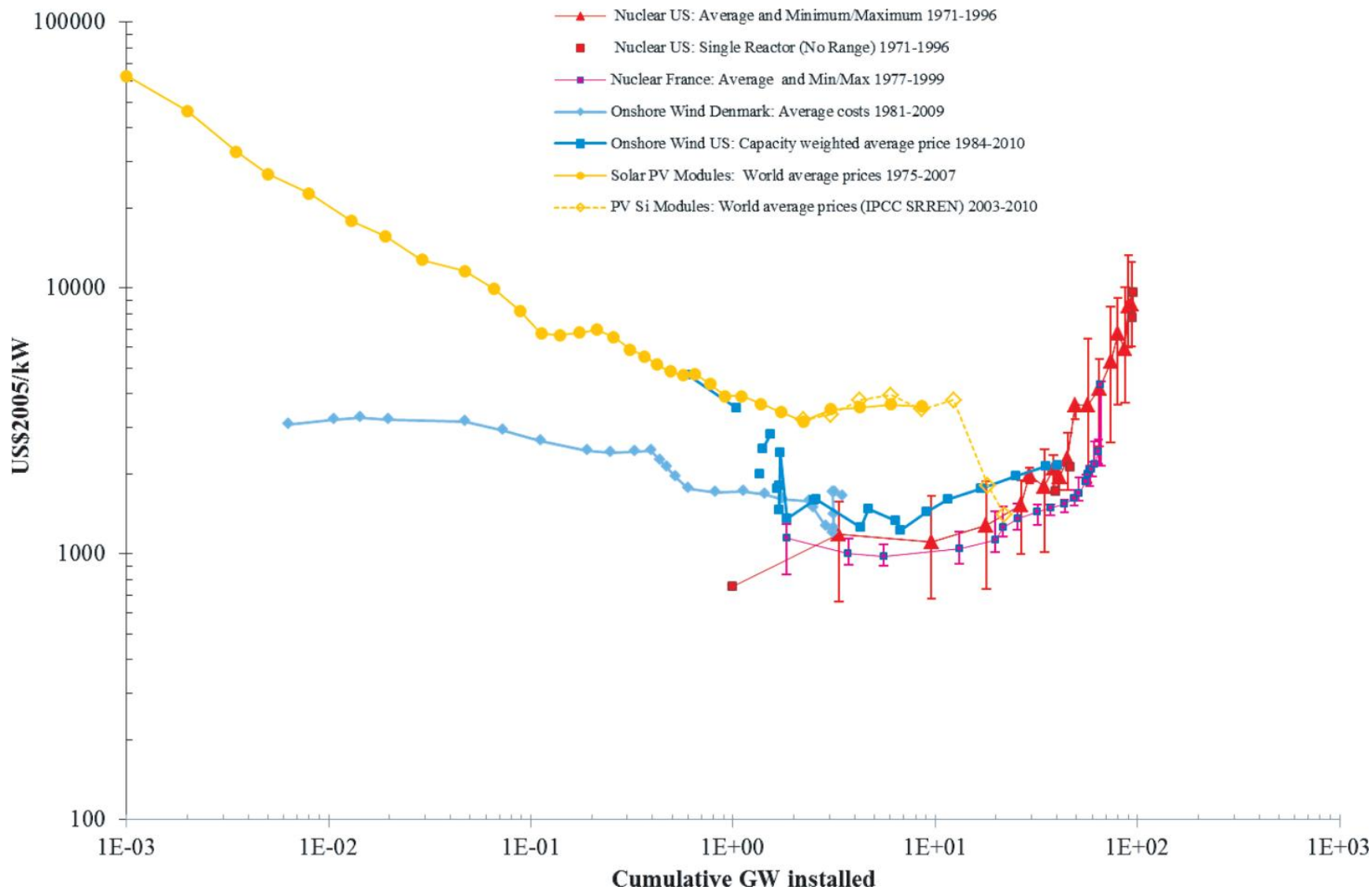
US Gas Production Mix



Trends in energy price indexes 2005-2012

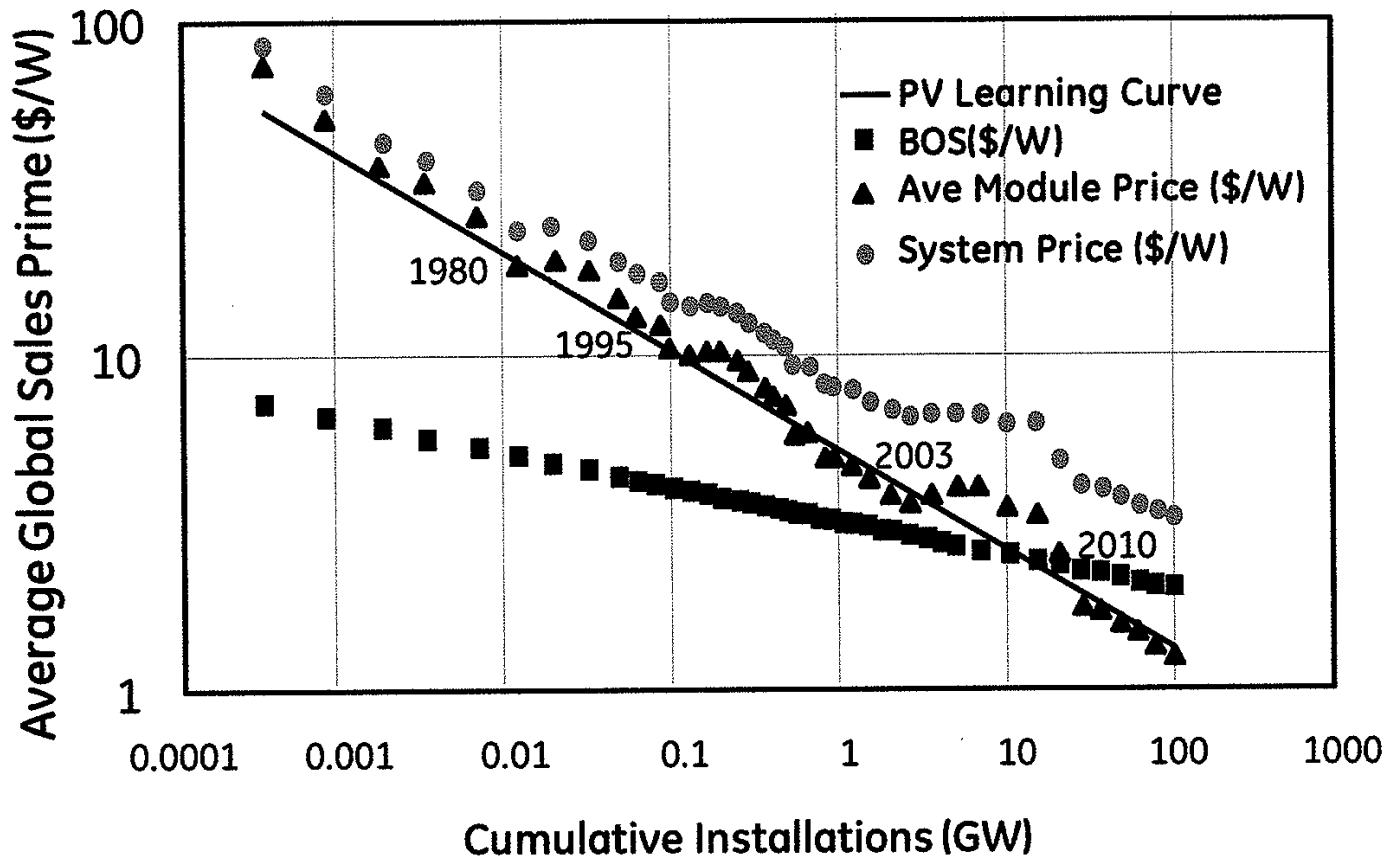


Price of energy from new sources



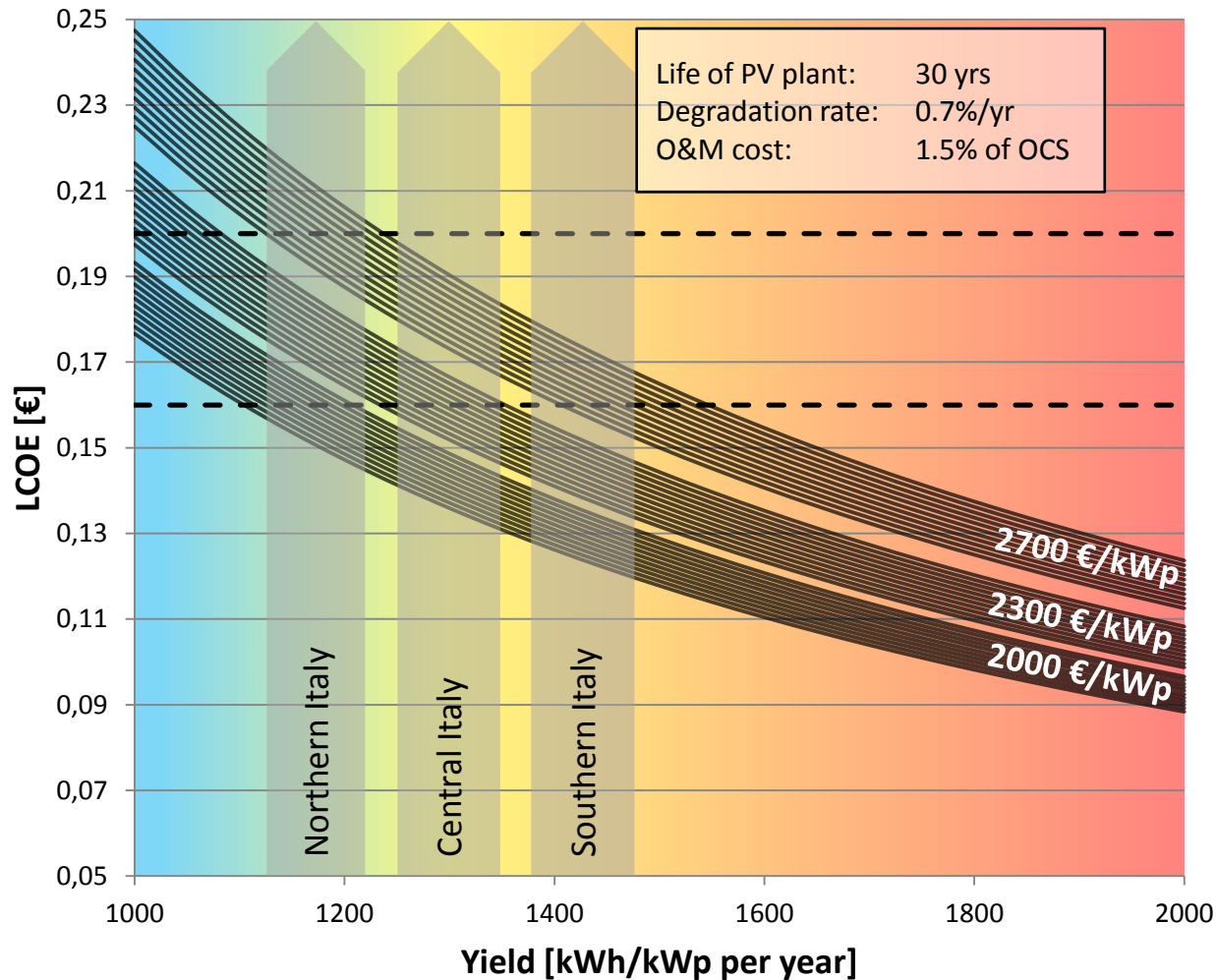
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Lessons learned from the photovoltaic technology



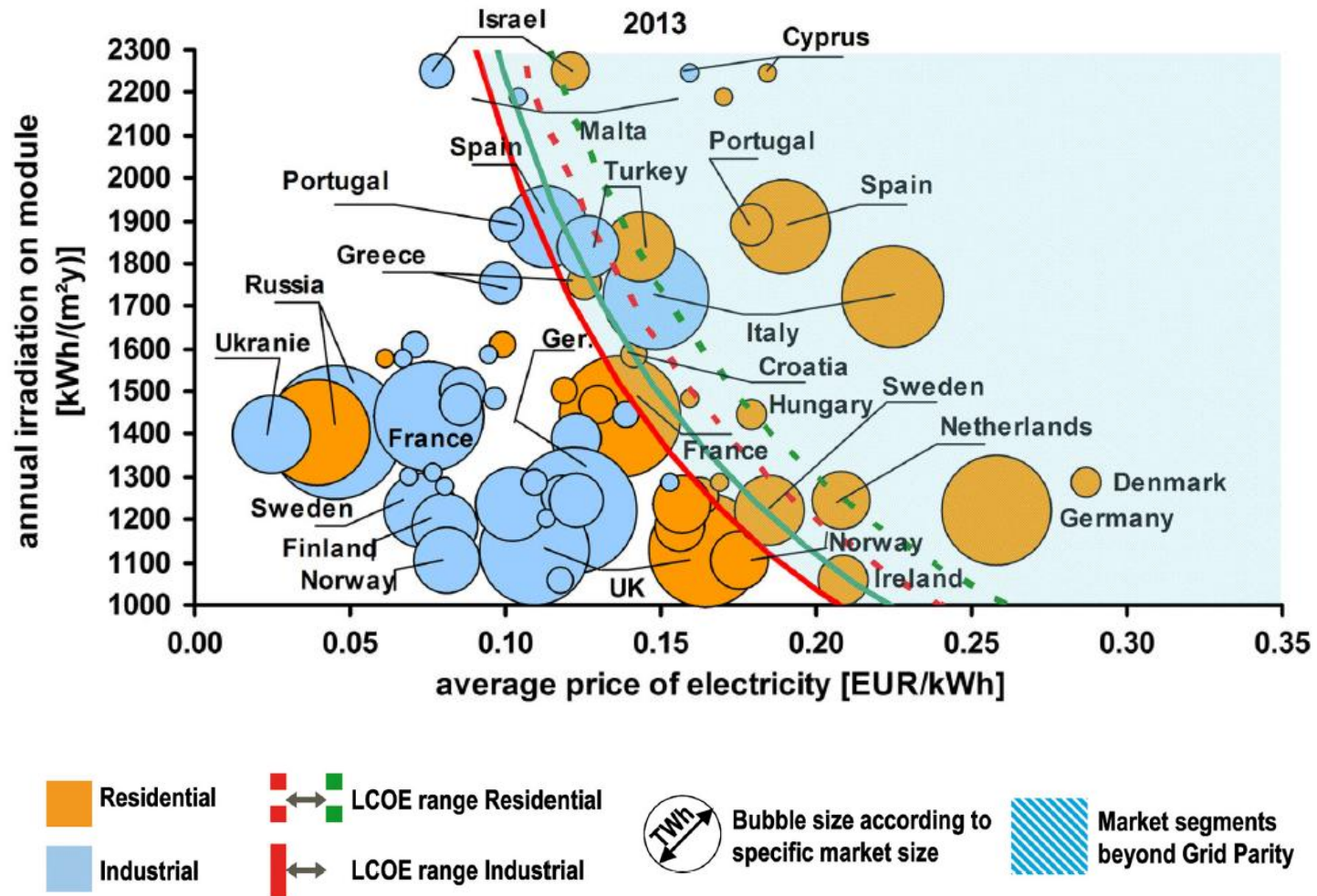
Price and Grid Parity

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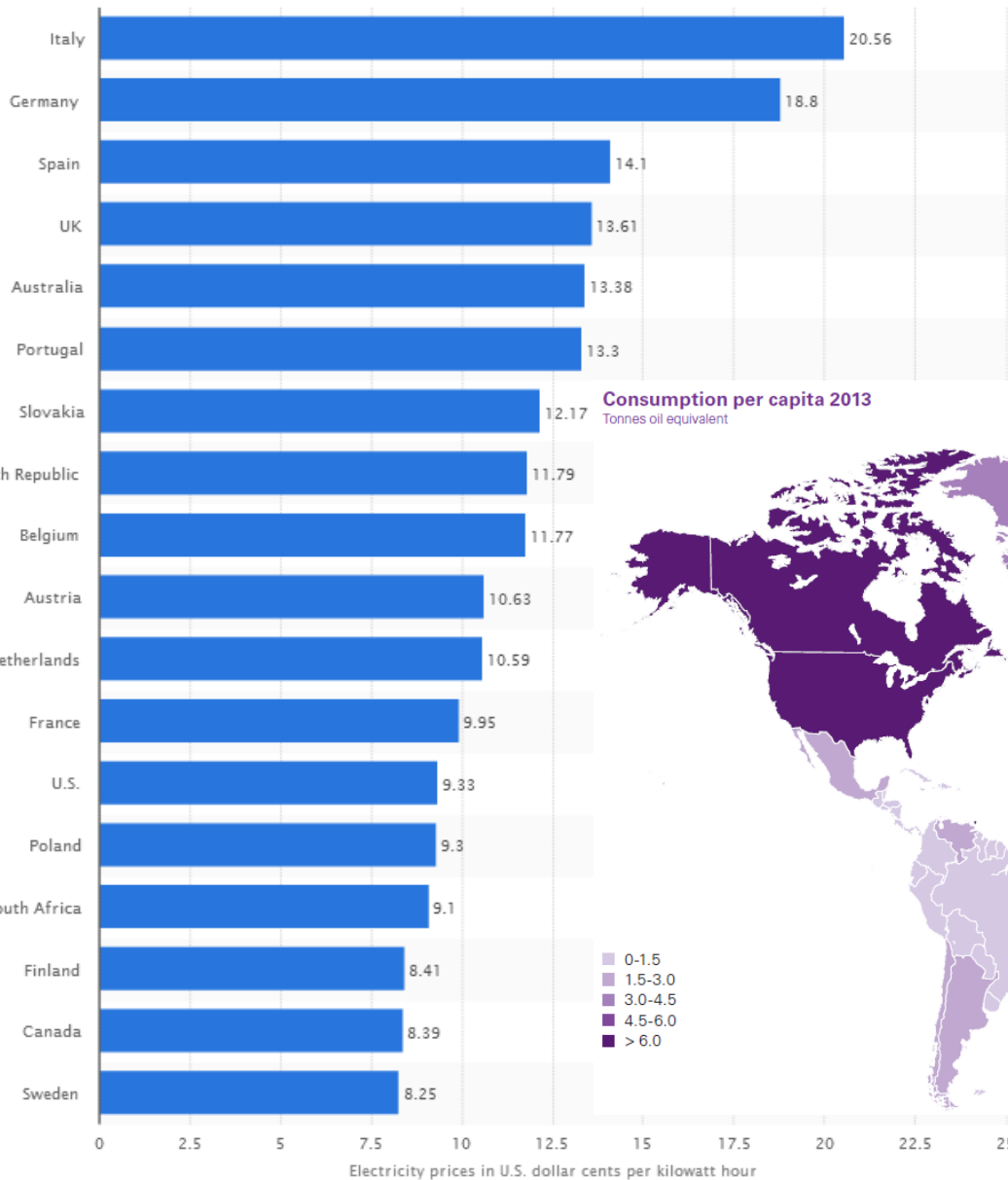


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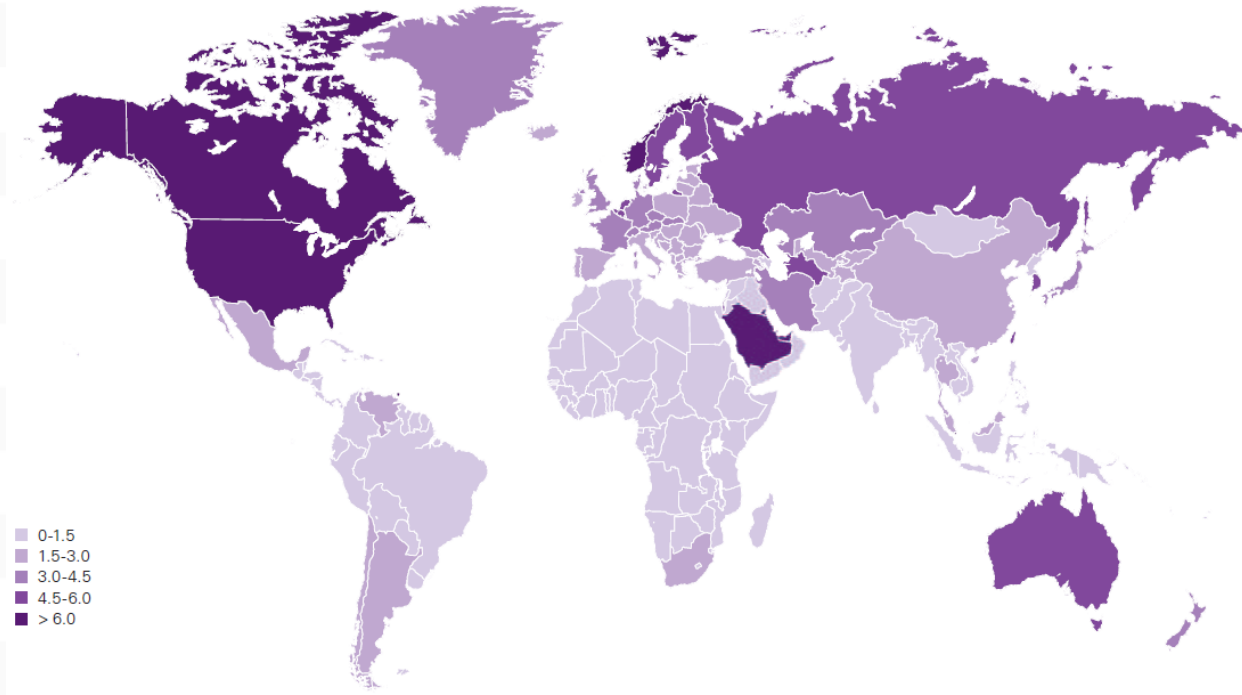
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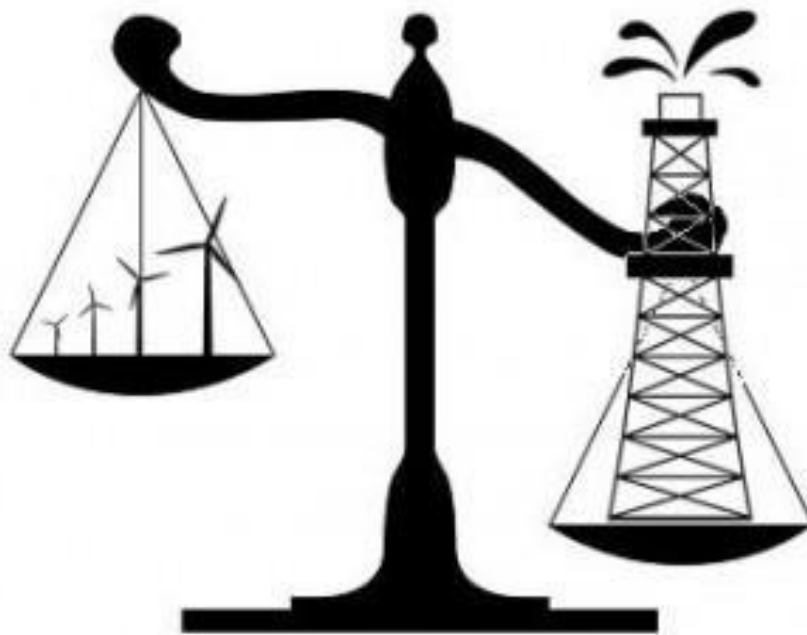
Consumption per capita 2013
Tonnes oil equivalent



Price and Subsidies

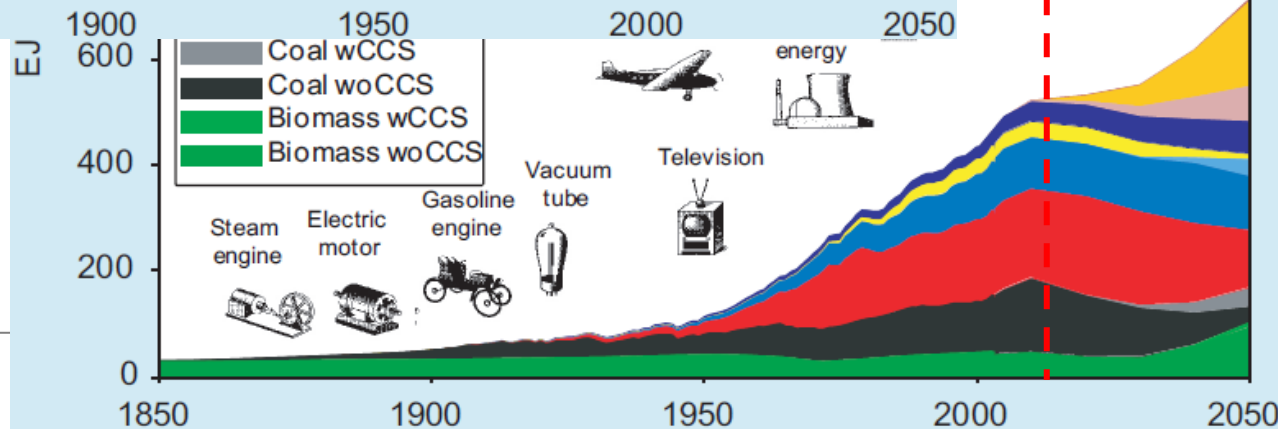
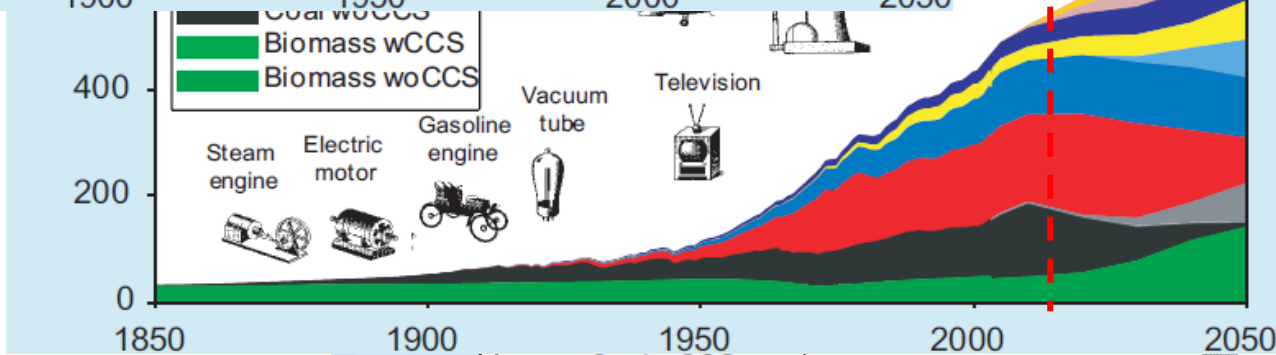
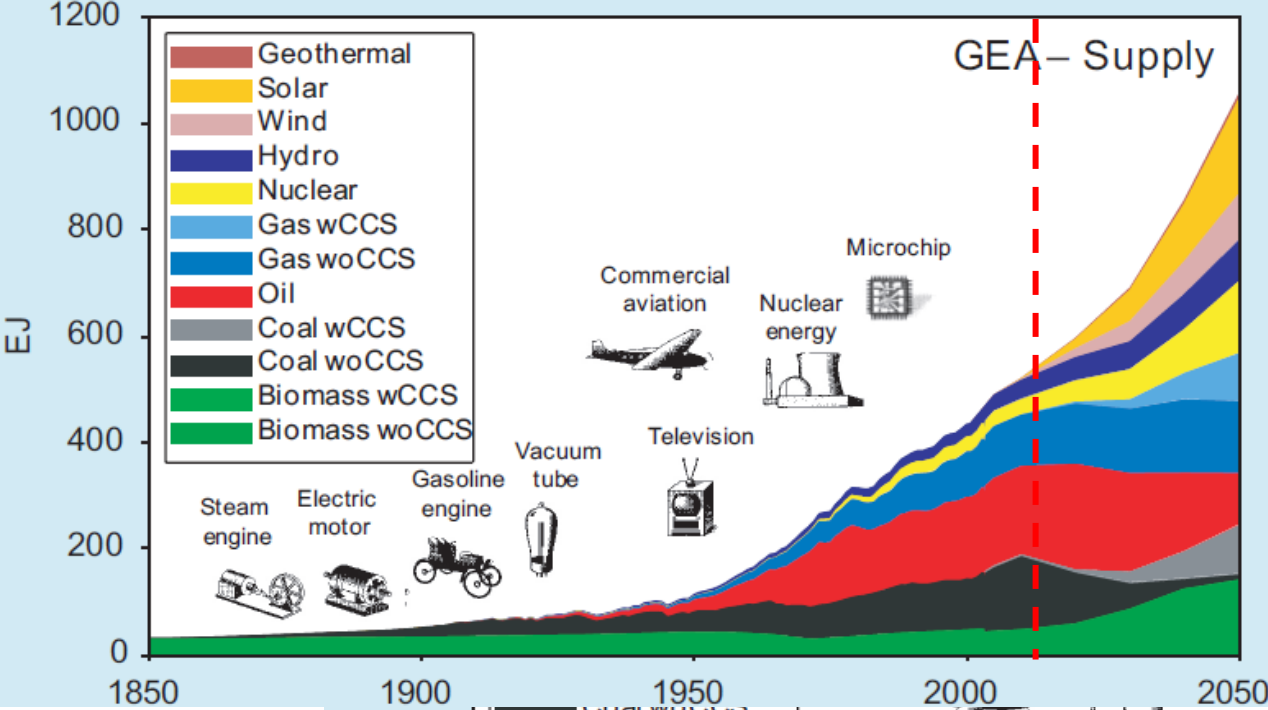
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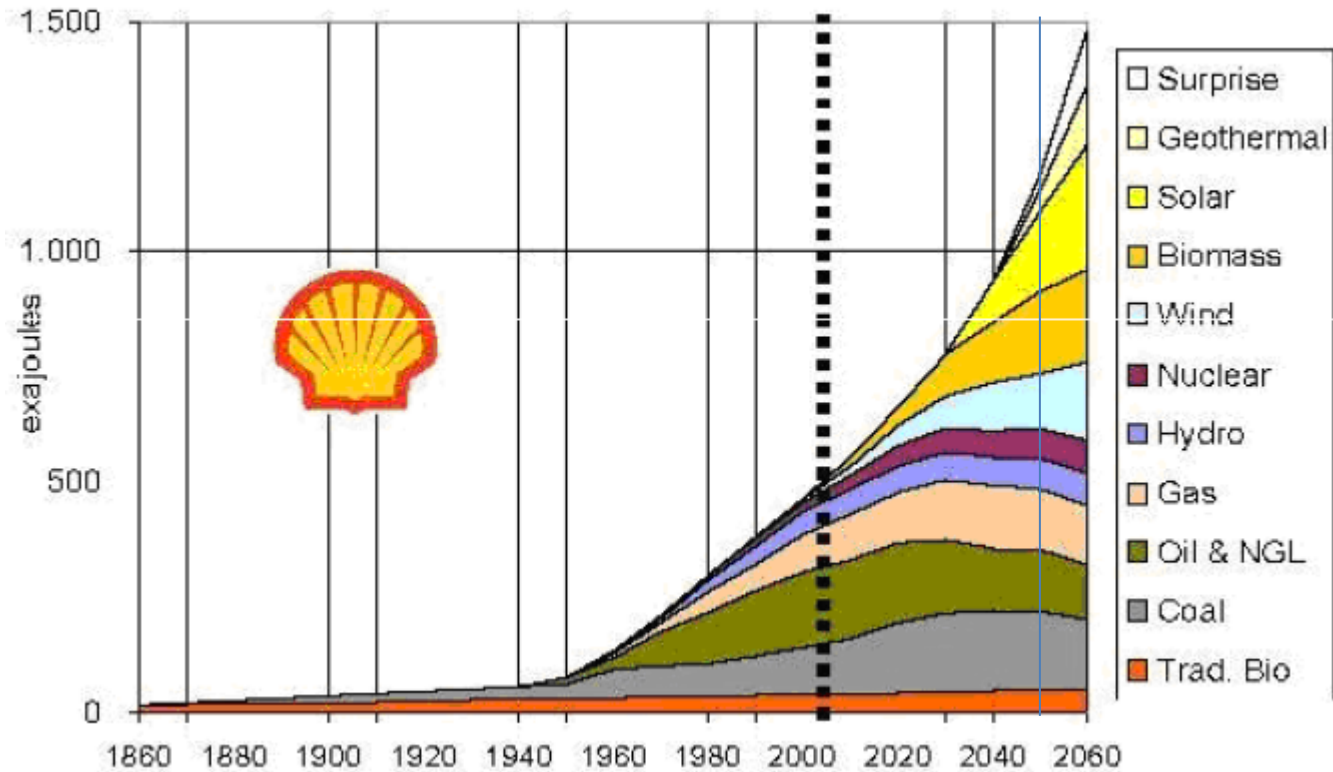


Future Trends

Scenarios (GEA)

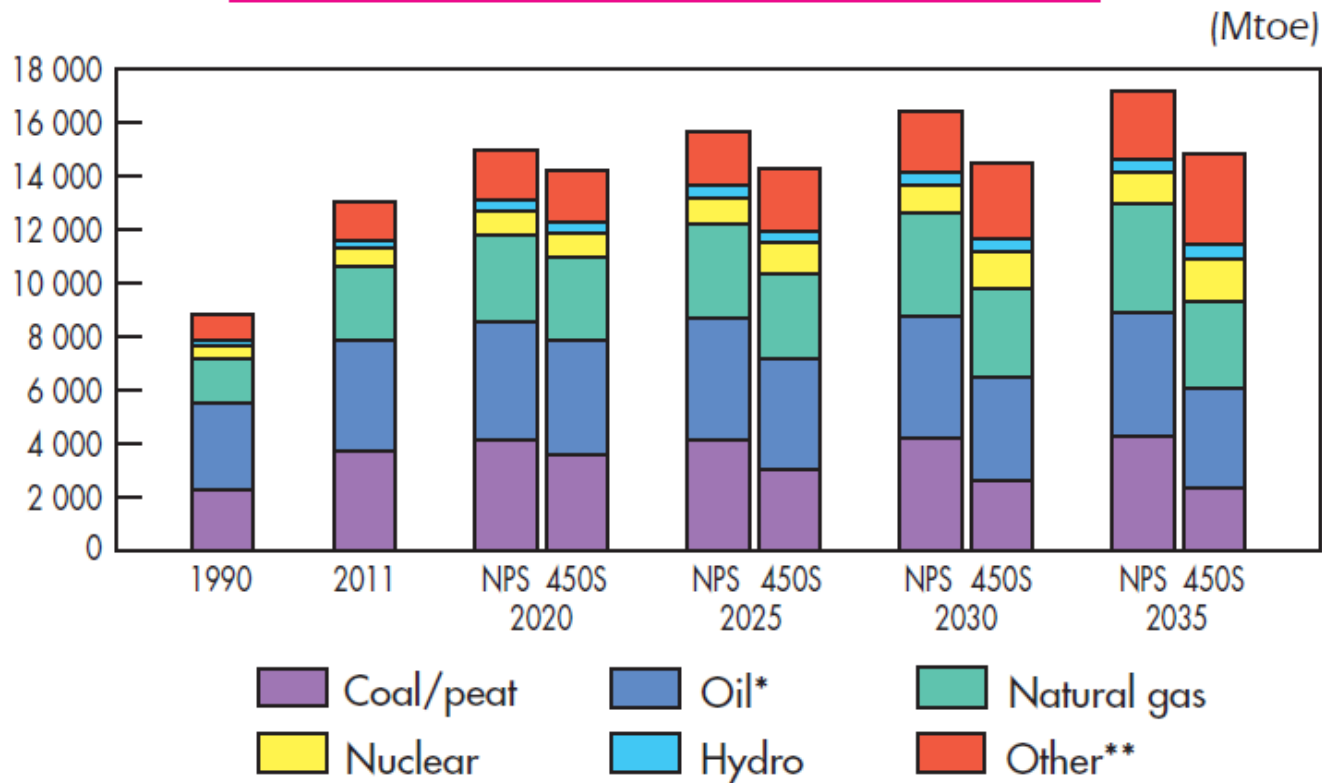


Scenario Shell (source-focused)



Scenario IEA (2013)

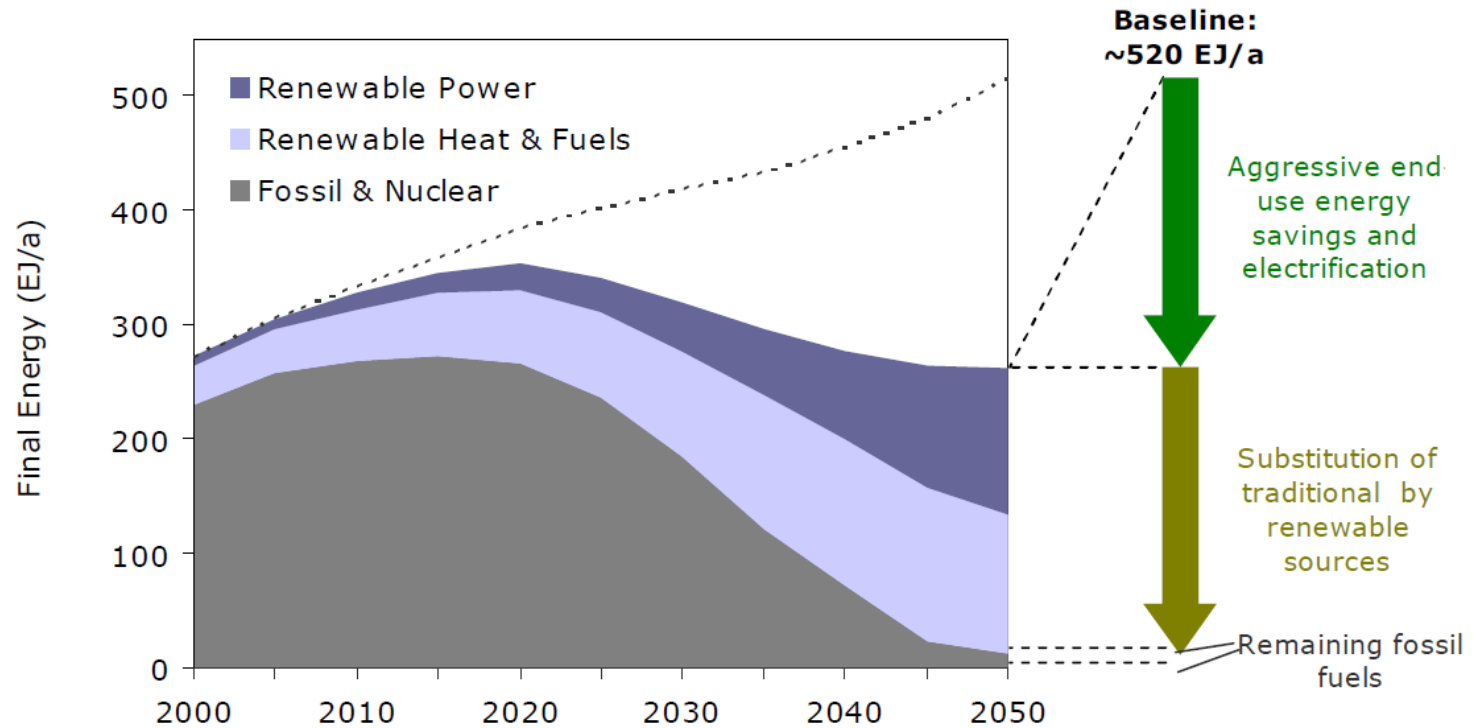
TPES Outlook by Fuel



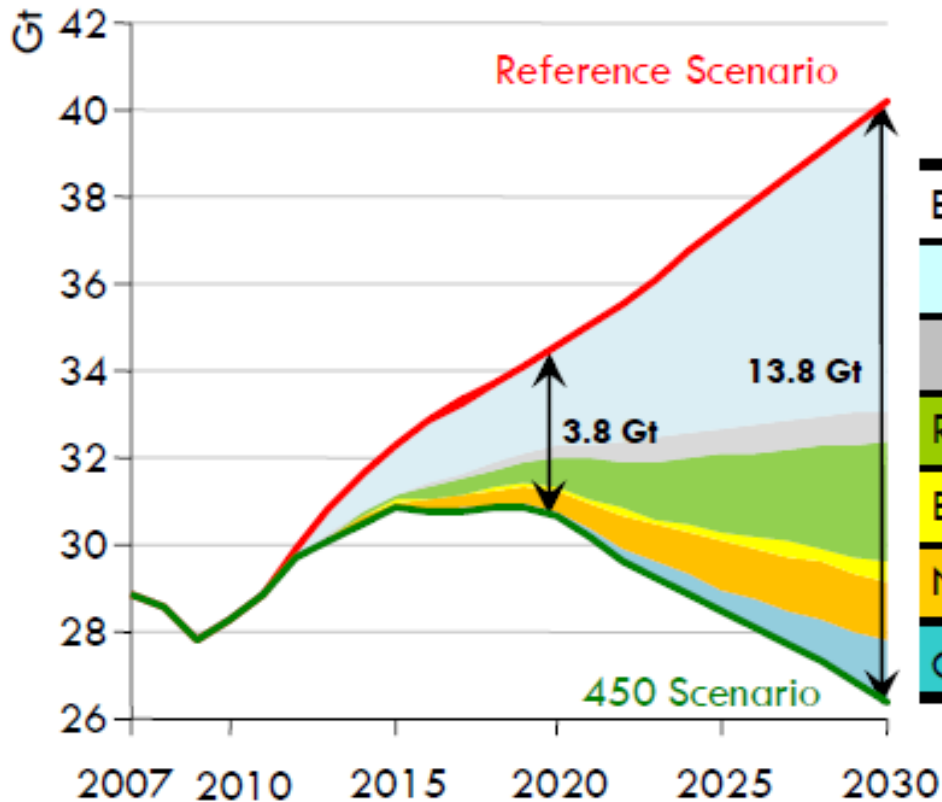
*NPS: New Policies Scenario
(based on policies under consideration)*

*450S: 450 Scenario***
(based on policies needed to limit global
average temperature increase to 2 °C)*

Scenario WWF (EcoFYS)

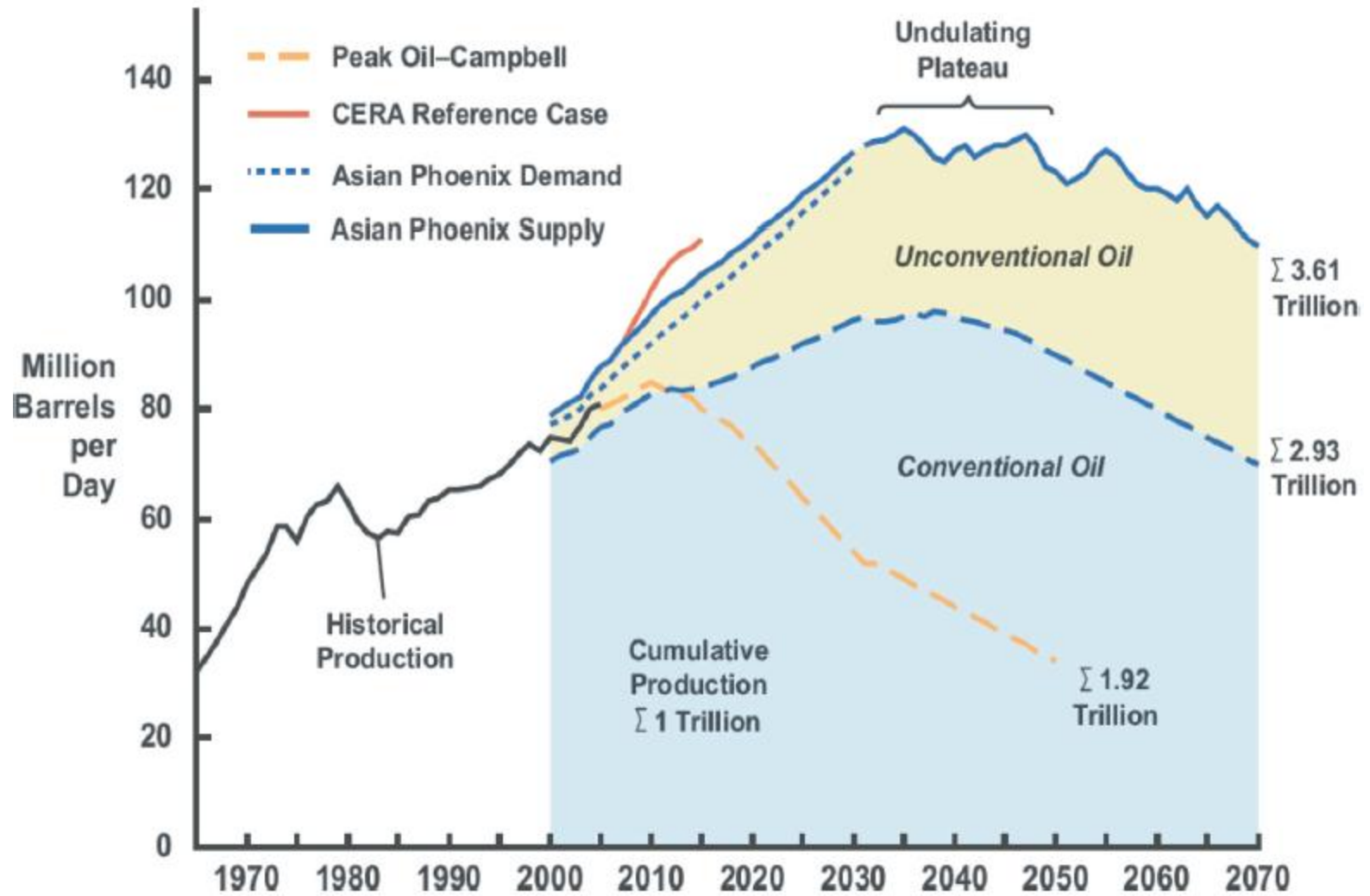


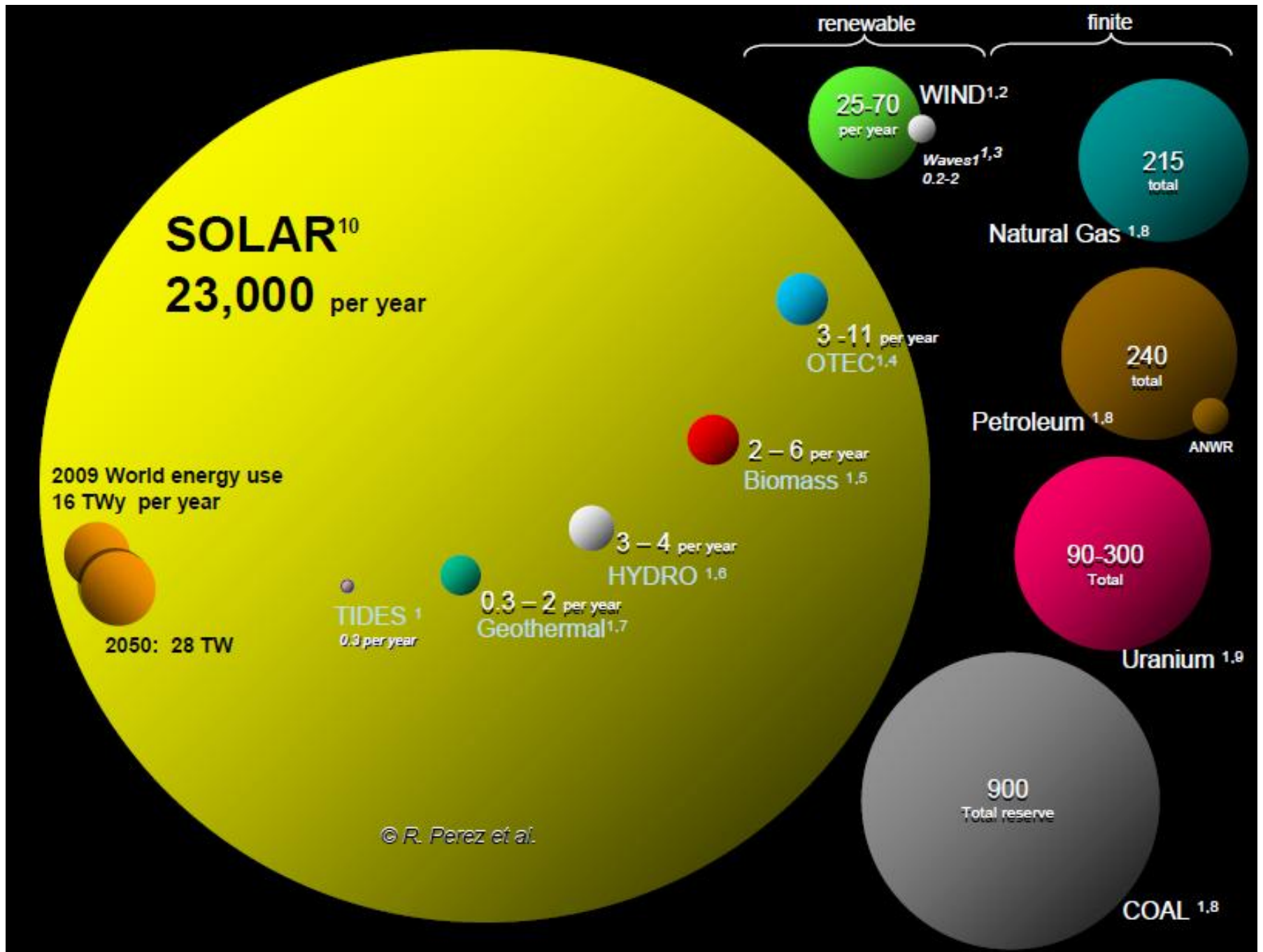
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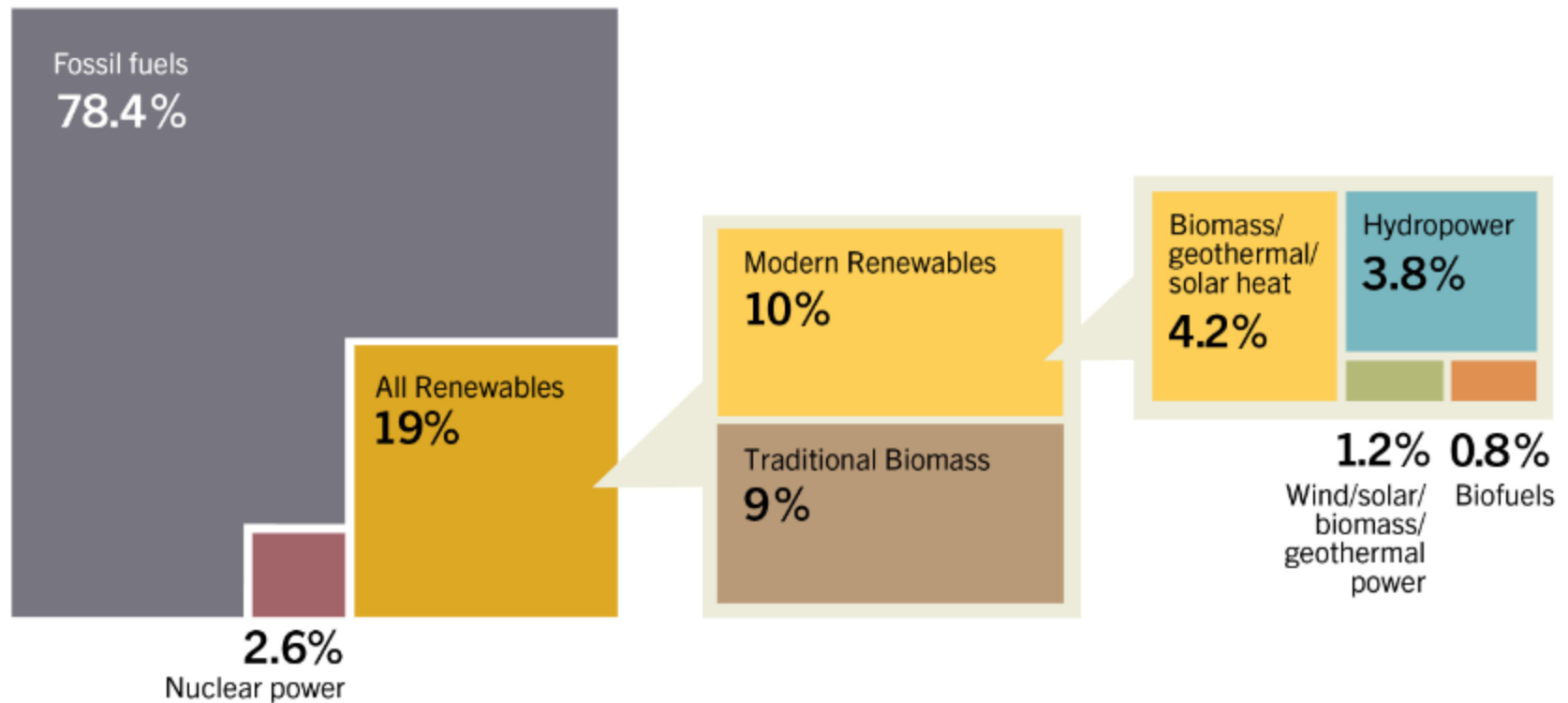
Oil is in fact going to end...





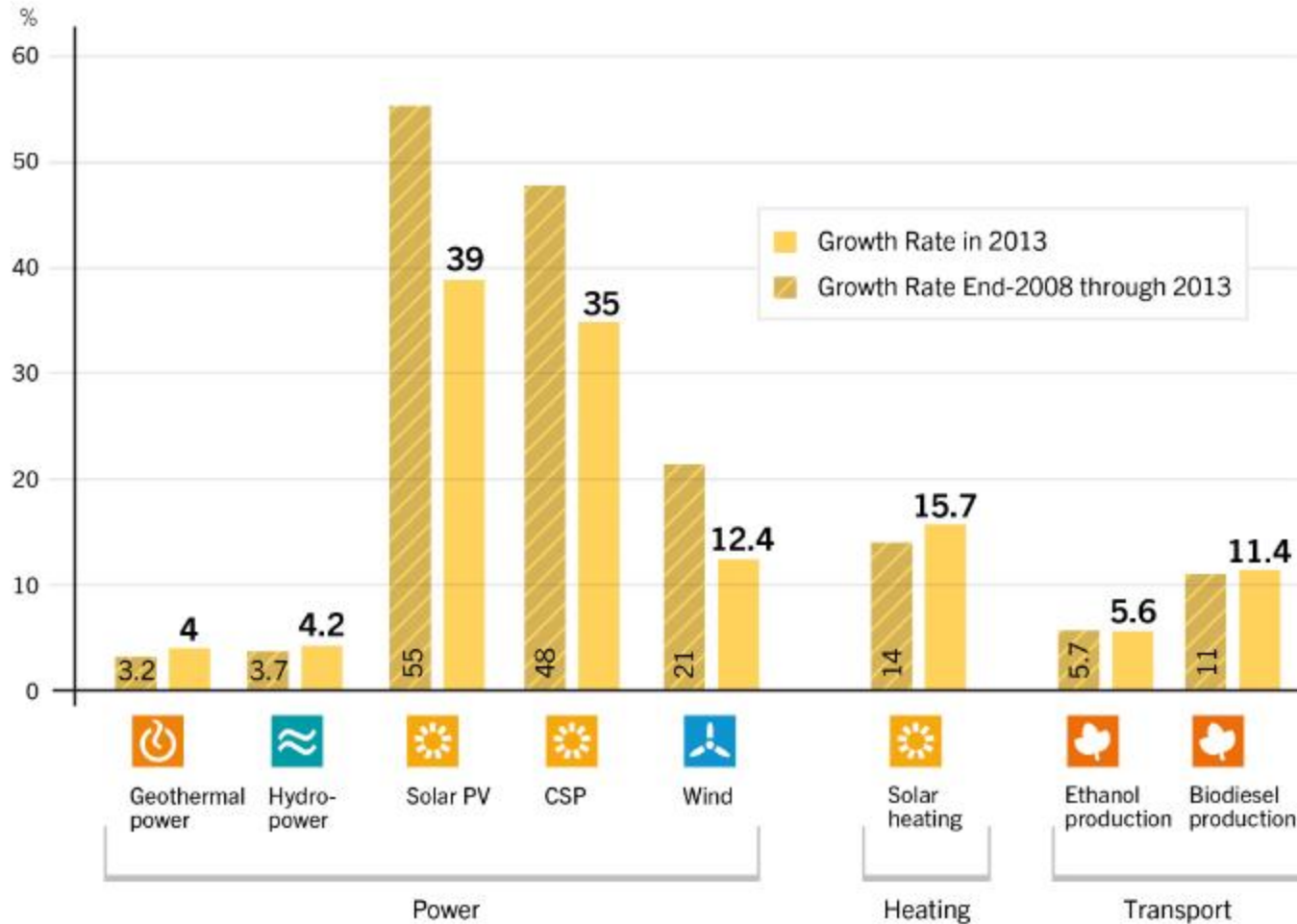
Alternative resources

Estimated Renewable Energy Share of Global Final Energy Consumption, 2012



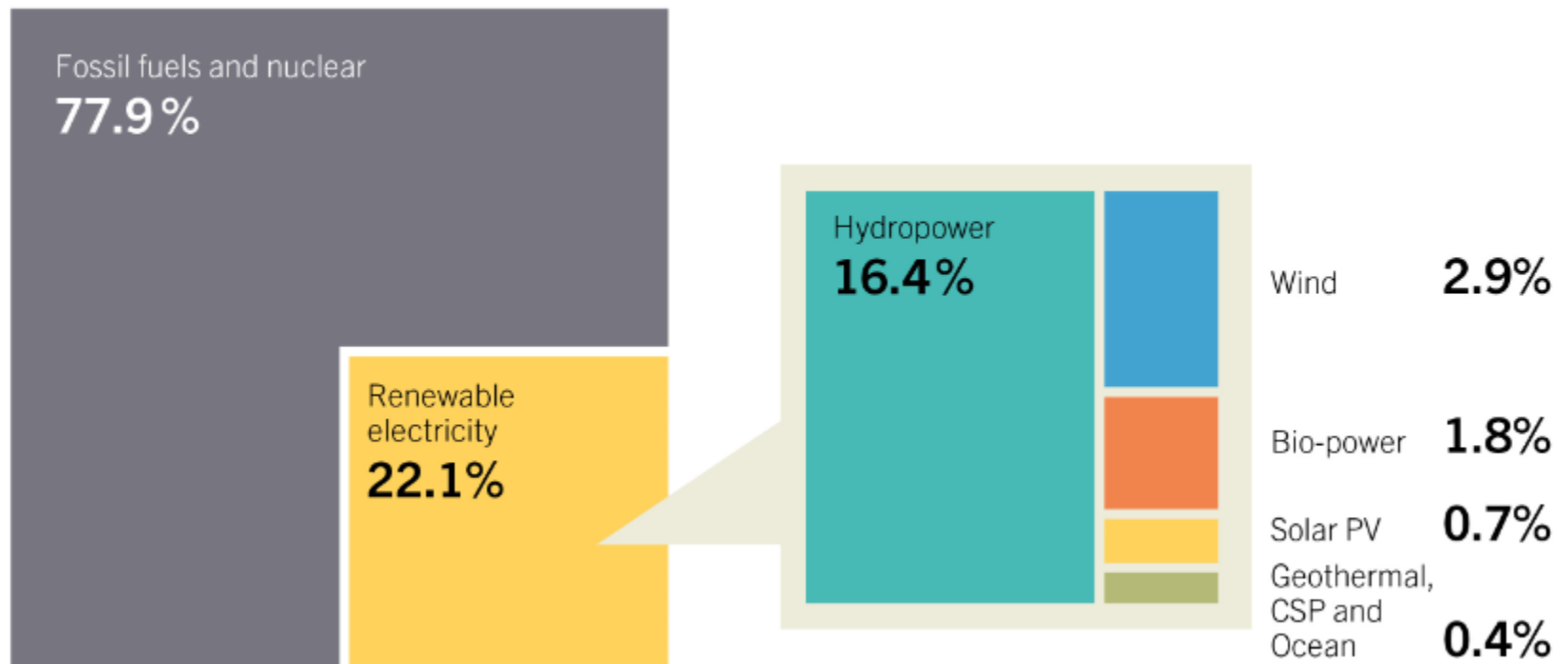
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Average Annual Growth Rates of Renewable Energy Capacity and Biofuels Production, End-2008–2013



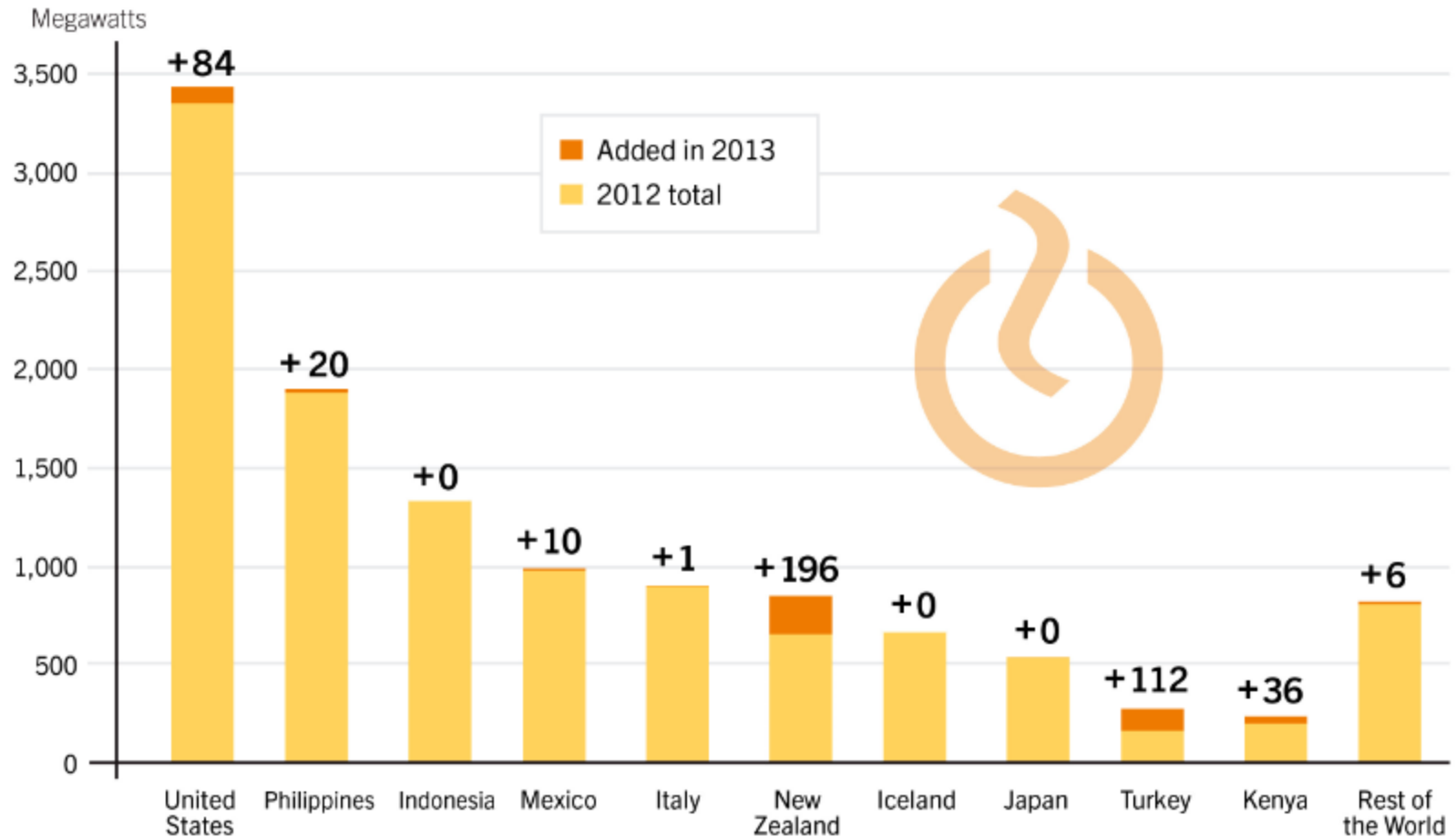
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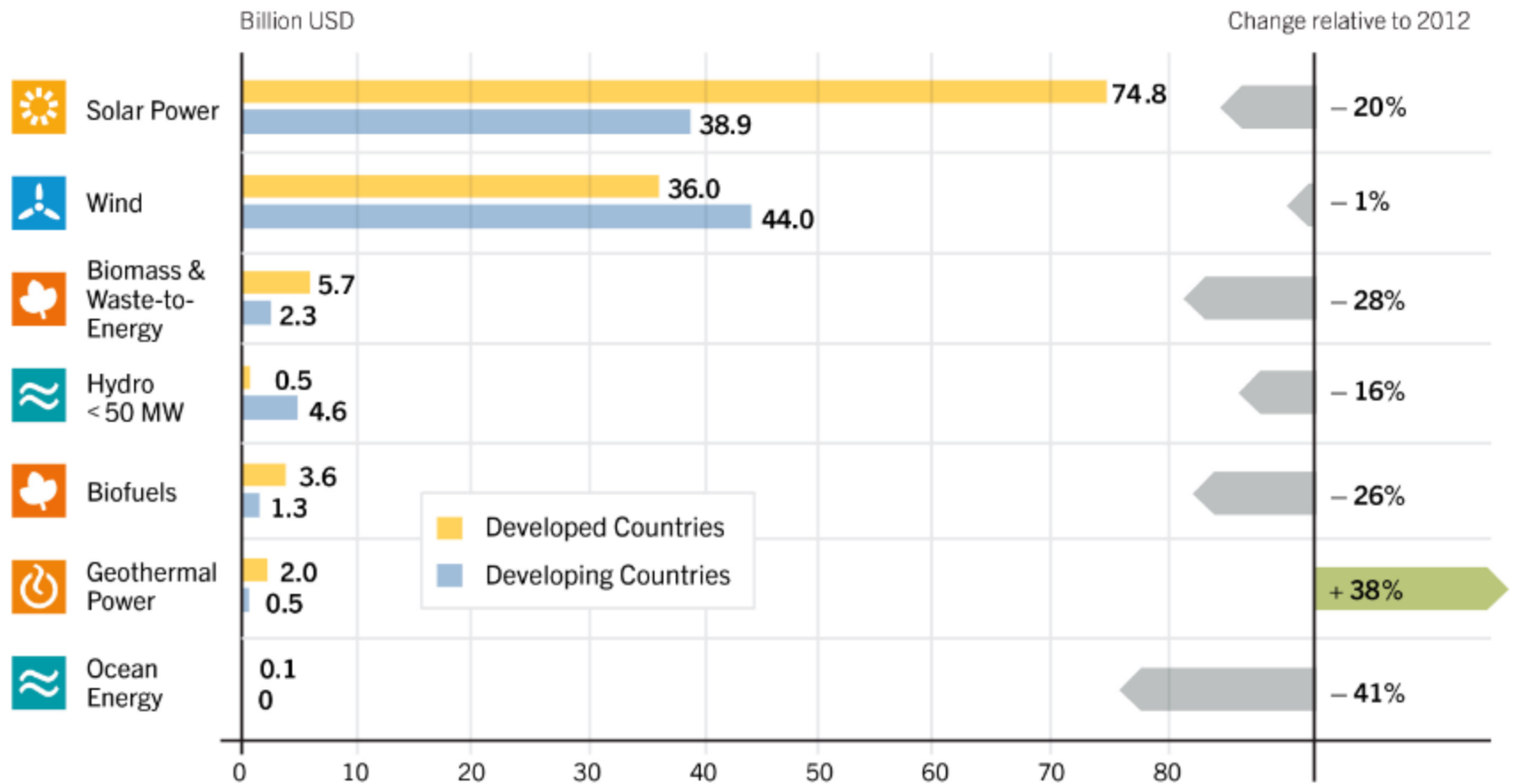
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Geothermal Power Capacity and Additions, Top 10 Countries and Rest of World, 2013

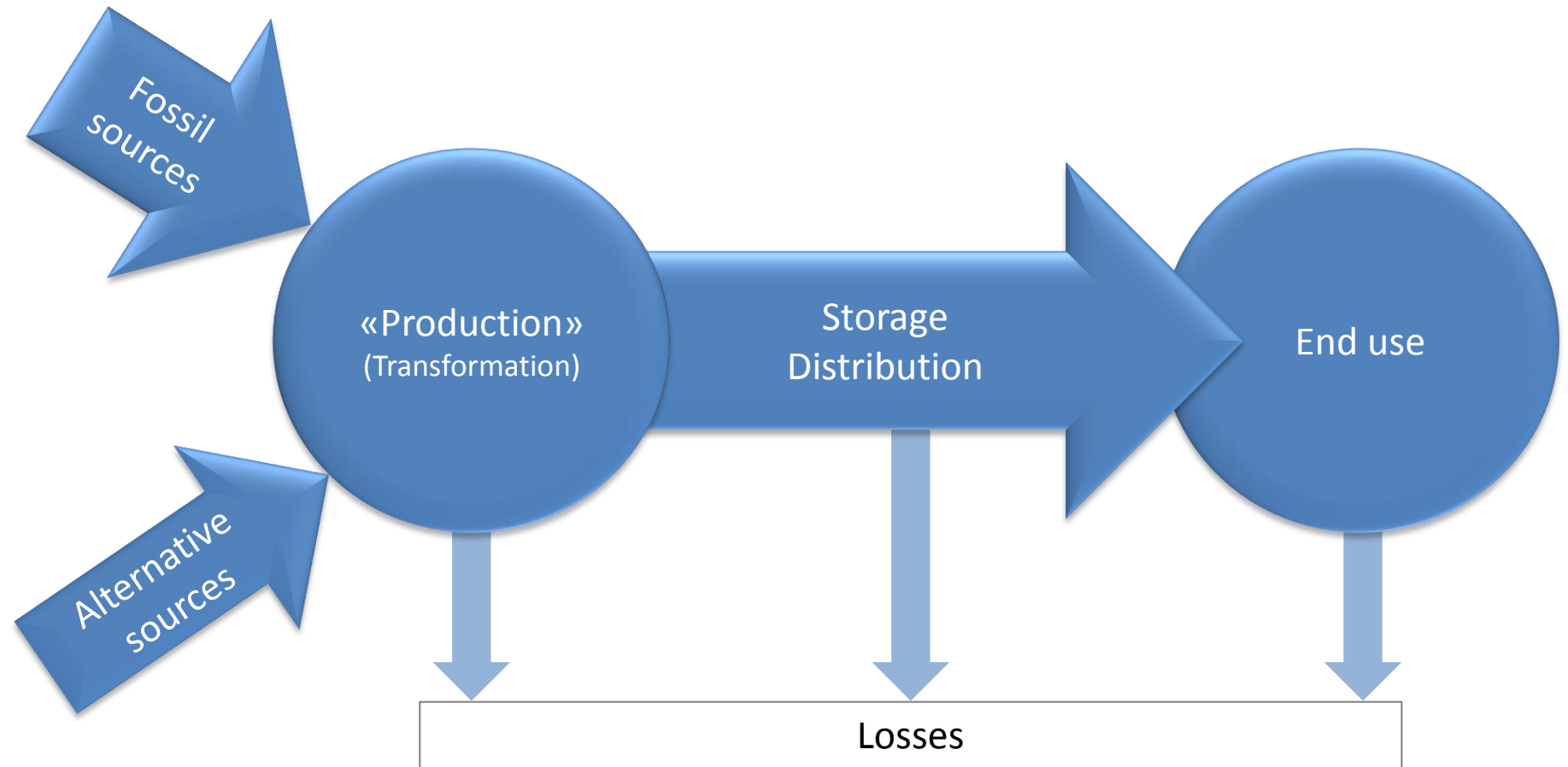


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Global New Investment in Renewable Energy by Technology, Developed and Developing Countries, 2013

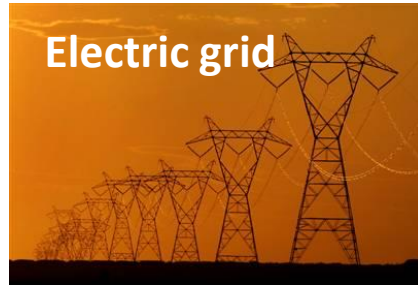
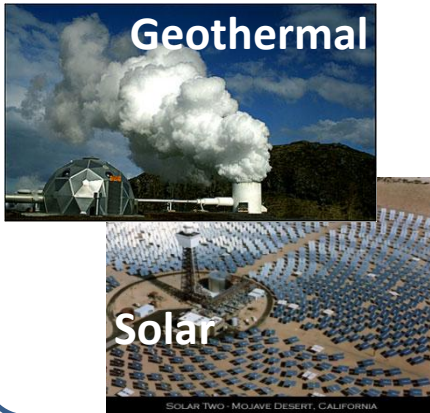


Energy Supply Chain



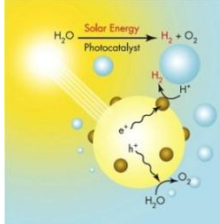
Imagine Future Scenarios

Production



Storage, Transportation, and Distribution (electricity)

Water electrolysis



Fuel Cells
Storage, Transportation, Reconversion (Hydrogen)



Solar thermal
Geothermal



Transportation (heat) – short distance

Biofuels



Transportation (fuel)

Use



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Carbon Footprint

Amount of **CO₂ equivalent emitted**

- by a population, system or activity
- within a space- and timeframe

Footprint is commonly calculated for:

- Individuals, households, populations
- Energy production systems
- Products



Carbon Footprint – GHG emissions

Table A.II.4 | Aggregated results of literature review of LCAs of GHG emissions from electricity generation technologies as displayed in Figure 9.8 (g CO₂eq/kWh).

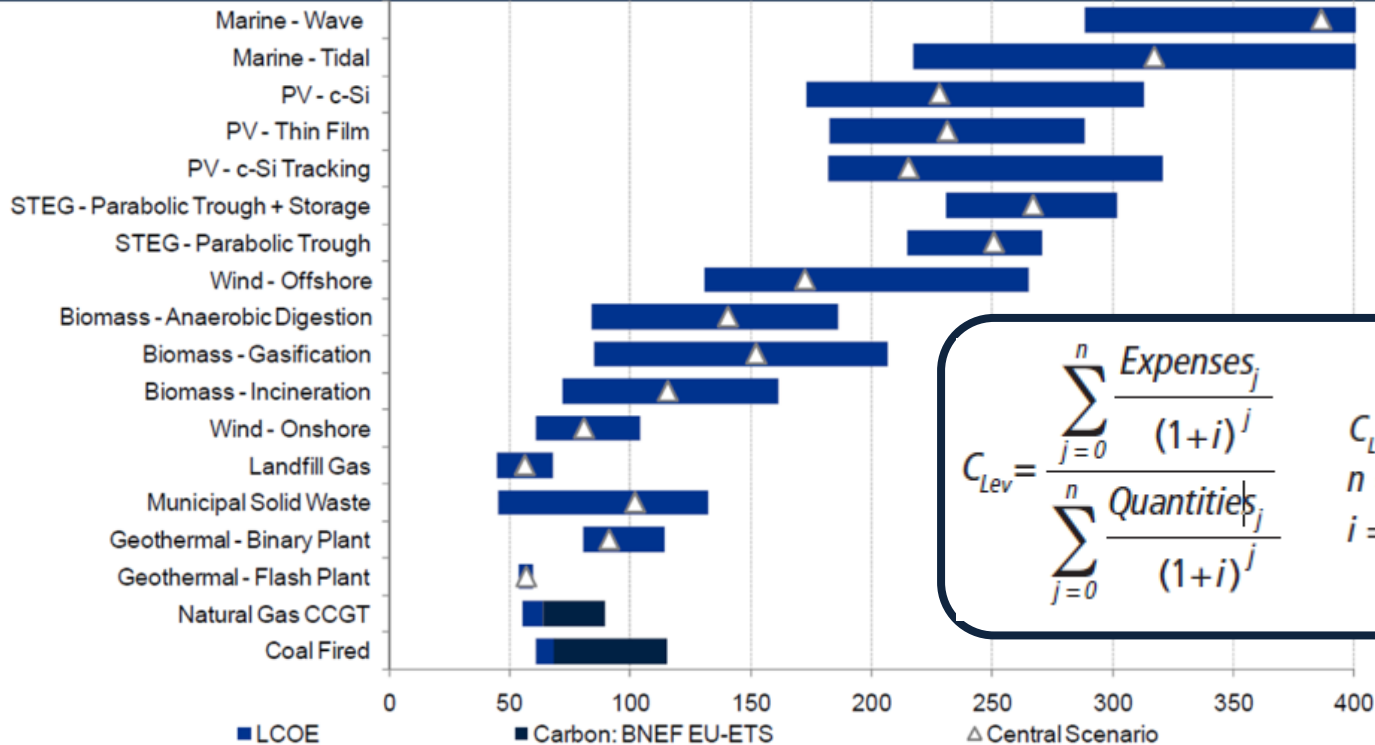
Values	Bio-power	Solar		Geothermal Energy	Hydropower	Ocean Energy	Wind Energy	Nuclear Energy	Natural Gas	Oil	Coal
		PV	CSP								
Minimum	-633	5	7	6	0	2	2	1	290	510	675
25th percentile	360	29	14	20	3	6	8	8	422	722	877
50th percentile	18	46	22	45	4	8	12	16	469	840	1001
75th percentile	37	80	32	57	7	9	20	45	548	907	1130
Maximum	75	217	89	79	43	23	81	220	930	1170	1689
CCS min	-1368								65		98
CCS max	-594								245		396

Note: CCS = Carbon capture and storage, PV = Photovoltaic, CSP = Concentrating solar power.

http://srren.ipcc-wg3.de/report/IPCC_SRREN_Annex_II.pdf

LCOE – Levelized Cost of Energy

Figure 20 Levelized Cost of Energy, Q4 2010, US\$/mWh



$$C_{Lev} = \frac{\sum_{j=0}^n \frac{Expenses_j}{(1+i)^j}}{\sum_{j=0}^n \frac{Quantities_j}{(1+i)^j}}$$

C_{Lev} = levelized cost
 n = lifetime of the project
 i = discount rate

Note: Assumes base case of a required 10% "hurdle rate" for investors. "PV c-Si" represents projects using photovoltaic equipment with crystalline silicon. "PV c Si Tracking" represents such projects using that technology with trackers that lock the solar modules on the trajectory of the sun. "STEG" stands for "solar thermal electricity generation"

Source: Based on the Bloomberg New Energy Finance LCOE model

Dynamic calculator: <http://en.openei.org/apps/TCDB/>

EROEI

Energy Return On
Energy Invested:

$$EROEI = \frac{E_{out}}{E_{in}}$$

E_{out} : energy provided by the system over its lifetime
 E_{in} : total energy required to create and operate the system

100.0	Hydro
80.0	Coal
35.0	Oil imports 1990
35.0	World oil production
30.0	Oil and gas 1970
20.0	Oil production
18.0	Wind
18.0	Oil imports 2005
14.5	Oil and gas 2005
12.0	Oil imports 2007
10.0	Nuclear
10.0	Natural gas 2005
8.0	Oil discoveries
6.8	Photovoltaic
5.0	Ethanol sugarcane
5.0	Shale oil
3.0	Bitumen tar sands
1.9	Solar flat plate
1.6	Solar collector
1.3	Ethanol corn

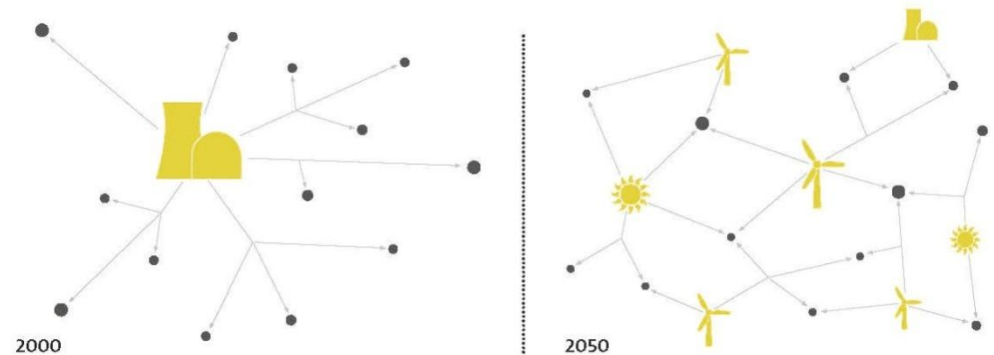
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Concluding remarks

Trends

- **Diversification** of the energy sources (mostly alternative/renewable)

- **Mini- and microgeneration**
- «**Democratization**» of energy
- Principle of **locality** of the source
- **Integration** of energy sources
- Higher **complexity**

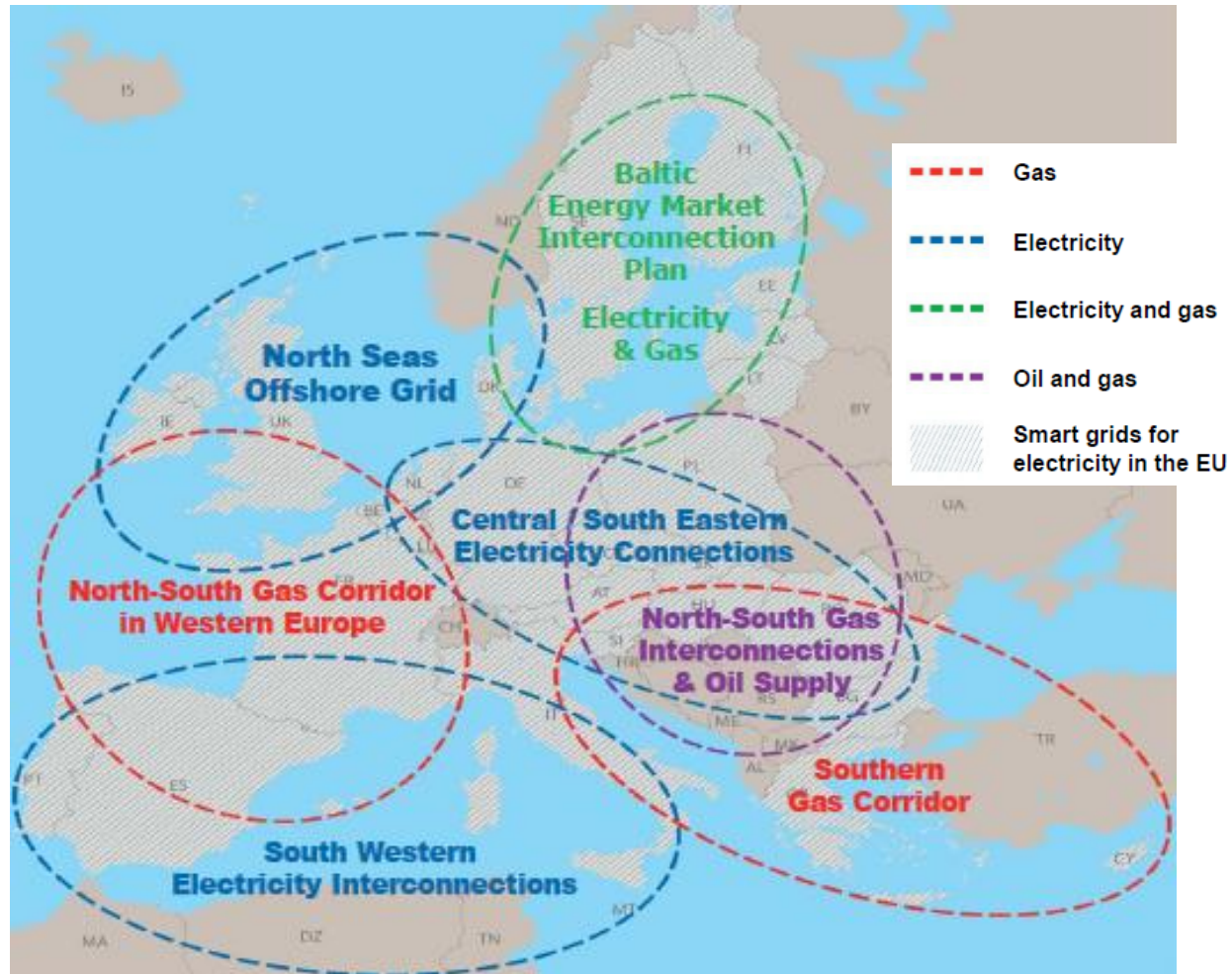


- **Storage**

- **Large scale** to compensate unpredictability of renewable resources
- **Small scale** to enable reliability of local (integrated) systems




Key role of social aspects! (see for example the case of photovoltaics in Italy)

Scenarios in the Peri-Adriatic Region

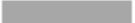


Scenarios in the Peri-Adriatic Region

Corridor opening options (2018 - Shah Deniz II)

-  Nabuccco-West
-  Trans-Adriatic Pipeline
-  Trans-Anatolian Pipeline & South-Caucasus Pipeline

Corridor enlargement

-  Extension of transport routes & new transport routes



oil and gas exploration

Need for clear, shared, coherent and long-sighted policies and regulations!